

# Councillors Want Hospital Clinic And Insurance Scheme

"The position of mayor requires a great deal of time and effort and a great deal of assistance from the council and the public," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales said on Friday evening following his acclamation as mayor for 1944. N. L. Mathews, K.C., town clerk and solicitor, served as returning officer and then presided over the public meeting that followed.

"It is a position of great honor and great opportunity," said Dr. Dales. "I can see with half an eye a peaceful revolution taking place in the town of Newmarket. These are growing pains. I would advise the council of next year to take heed of these growing pains and to give this movement the response that several years of agitation deserves. It isn't a flash in the pan. I say to the ladies that they have been consistent in their advocacy."

"It is worth-while to remind you of the wonderful war effort of the Newmarket Veterans Association in looking after 186 boys overseas, sending them Christmas parcels and 300 cigarettes every month. Outstanding is the donation of \$2,410 this year by the Lions club to war work."

"The Red Cross has obtained 862 blood donations in Newmarket. We salute these donors," Dr. Dales had praise for the war work of the Women's Institute and the Home and School Association.

"Newmarket has subscribed approximately \$2,000,000 in Victory bonds," Dr. Dales said.

"The library board, while not a war organization, has been a great instrument in keeping people happy," said Dr. Dales. "The library has about 8,000 books. The circulation is about 21,000 books a year."

"Last year was a banner year for the town financially. Our financial position should be the envy of any town of this size in Canada. The pay-as-you-go policy has been strictly adhered to. We borrowed only \$20,000 this year from the bank, and haven't owed the bank anything since June. Interest on bank borrowings once cost the town a mill, but this year only \$231. Our current balance is \$32,000. Last year at this time it was \$12,000."

"We should lend our encouragement and support to every war effort in this town. We are so comfortable in our homes, we should be thankful for a good many things, the strength of our country, the strength and courage of our young people, the wisdom of our leaders."

"I hope that in 1944 Newmarket will see definite signs of progress, willingness to try new plans, tried out elsewhere but new to us."

"Municipal councils must take a forward step in the education and development of the younger generation—something that has been neglected for the almighty dollar. I don't know why the young fellows who walked the highways jobless took up arms in defence of their country. Let Newmarket be a leader in making our town a little better place for the kids and those who come after us."

"In the county council we have adopted a pay-as-you-go policy the same as we have in Newmarket," said Reeve Fred A. Lundy. "In Newmarket this year we have disclaimed at tax sales. The town got the \$100 and got the land into the hands of the taxpayers. There are still a number of lots available. There has been an effort this year to relieve real estate of some of the burden. As you know, there are still a number of social services that the people—particularly the working people—should have, but unless we get more redress from legislative bodies, greater than ourselves it is almost too great a burden on the municipality."

"There has been a very strong committee appointed in county council to deal with a post-war program and also to study some of the social services we should have."

"It seems to be recognized that there will be a great influx of industry from the old world. As I understand it, the British government has established in Canada a trade commissioner whose duty it will be to seek out the best places for industries to be established. There should be in a position to take advantage of that, through the county and also doing what we can on our own. That is in the capable hands of Mr. Vale."

"Our local hospital is going to make a substantial addition. The generosity of private citizens is making that possible. I'd like to see the hospital board include space there that will make possible a clinic, so that the working man could pay according to his ability and when emergency arises he will feel free to take advantage of it. When an operation is necessary in a working man's family, it is a great financial blow."

"It gives me an opportunity of expressing to the women who are working so hard sincere appreciation of the work they are doing," said Dr. G. A. C. Guntion, who practises dentistry in Aurora and Newmarket, and was nominated for reeve and deputy-reeve. "It is work that badly needs to be done."

"I am carrying on Dr. Noble's work and will be, I presume, for some time to come. I am just as interested in Newmarket as Aurora. It was once different, but today a splendid spirit exists

IS ACCLAIMED



Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales (above), Reeve F. A. Lundy and Deputy-reeve A. D. Evans received acclamations for the 1944 Newmarket council.

## COLLEGE BOYS WILL BE AT HOME SATURDAY

Saturday will be parents' and visitors' day at Pickering College. A game with Parkdale Collegiate will open the basketball season.

There will be exhibits and demonstrations by the students in all departments of the school. Newmarket and district people are invited to visit the school during the afternoon, and to attend the play, "Charley's Aunt," in the school auditorium at 7.15 p.m.

## VETERANS' CHRISTMAS PARTY IS ANNOUNCED

Newmarket Veterans' Association is planning its annual dance and euehre, to be held in the town hall on Thursday, Dec. 16. Proceeds are for Christmas welfare work.

Fred. Cass is chairman of the committee. Serving with him are Alf. Smith, George Wales, Frank Keats, Alex. McIntosh and Jack Wright.

Rose's orchestra, Aurora, will provide dance music, and ten geese as prizes will lend a Christmas atmosphere.

## BLOOD DONATIONS CUT DOWN BY EPIDEMIC

The prevalent epidemic of "flu" and colds took heavy toll of donors when 75 instead of the expected 115 volunteers were able to report at the Red Cross blood donors' clinic last Friday.

In spite of this, the clinic was pronounced a success by Miss Falar, the technician-in-charge. Donors were present from Bradford, Holland Landing, the Holland marsh, Sharon, Queensville and Newmarket.

## MRS. J. R. Y. BROUGHTON WAS BORN IN BRADFORD

In ill health for two years, Mrs. J. R. Y. Broughton, Newmarket, died at York County hospital on Nov. 18.

Alma Marion Strong was born at Bradford on Oct. 27, 1871, the daughter of Jane Driffield and Wm. Strong. Her husband, J. R. Y. Broughton, was a druggist in Newmarket for many years.

Mrs. Broughton was a member of Trinity United church. Surviving besides her husband are one half-brother, Norman Bingham Strong, Toronto, and three half-sisters, Mrs. R. H. Parbey (Florie) (Charr), Toronto, and Mrs. W. G. Faris (Bertha), Bradford, and her stepmother, Mrs. Wm. Strong.

Rev. Henry Cotton conducted the funeral service on Nov. 20 at the T. Kilkenny Parlors, Bradford. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant cemetery, Bradford.

The pallbearers were T. W. W. Evans and C. T. S. Evans, Bradford; Fred. Evans, Toronto; J. C. Best and Fred. Chantler, Newmarket, and Murray Faris, Bradford.

# Public Must Choose Six Out Of Seven Council Nominees

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales received an acclamation as mayor for 1944 at the nomination meeting on Friday evening. No one else was nominated.

Fred. A. Lundy as reeve and Arthur D. Evans as deputy-reeve received acclamations when the clock struck nine on Saturday evening, and Dr. G. A. C. Guntion, dentist, nominated for both offices, had not qualified. He was told that he was ineligible because he rented his dental office from the town, and the town was not assessed.

Mrs. A. H. Woods, wife of Major Woods, a company commander at North Bay training camp and a former adjutant at Newmarket camp, received an acclamation for the one-year school board term in the place of Rev. J. A. Koffend, who resigned to become an R.C.A.F. chaplain. No one else was nominated for this office. Major and Mrs. Woods have a daughter, Evelyn, grade X at Newmarket high school, qualified.

The public will choose six of the seven nominees on Monday. The polls will be open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The new nominee, C. Morden Carter, lives at 37 Timothy St. He has been a representative of the Prudential Insurance Co. of America for the past nine years, coming to Newmarket from Toronto seven years ago. Mrs. Carter is an active member of the Home and School Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter have two children, Terence, eight, a pupil at the King George school, and Judith, four. Mr. Carter is a member of the Newmarket Revolver and Gun club.

Those nominated were: Mayor, Lowell Dales by A. G. Bell and Florence M. Budd; reeve, Fred A. Lundy by W. J. Patterson and T. F. Doyle; Dr. G. A. C. Guntion by F. H. Robinson and A. H. Woods; Deputy-reeve, A. D. Evans by F. A. Lundy and J. A. Perks, and Dr. G. A. C. Guntion by F. H. Robinson and A. H. Woods;

Councillors, Frank Bowser by H. E. Lambert and L. B. Rose, Stephen Rose by Florence M. Budd and Louise Miller, Joel Spillette by F. H. Robinson and L. B. Rose, Joseph Vale by F. H. Robinson and Andrew Hebb;

Allan Perks by L. W. Dales and L. B. Rose, A. V. Higginson by F. A. Lundy and A. D. Evans, Wm. Dixon by A. D. Evans and J. A. Perks, Rudy Renzius by Florence M. Budd and Caroline Edwards;

Frank Robinson by G. A. C. Guntion and Rhena Gilroy, Herbert Gladman by Rhena Gilroy and Florence M. Budd, Wm. Epworth by Rhena Gilroy and G. A. C. Guntion;

George Byers by Florence Budd and Doris Beare, Morden Carter by Doris Beare and A. G. Bell, Mrs. Stanley Miller by A. G. Bell and Caroline Edwards;

Public school trustees, two years, Mrs. Rhena Gilroy by Louise Miller and Margaret Case, Rudy Renzius by A. G. Bell and G. B. Wales, Robt. C. Morrison by L. W. Dales and H. E. Lambert, H. C. McCordick by A. D. Evans and F. A. Lundy;

N. L. Williams by A. D. Evans and F. A. Lundy, C. Morden Carter by Caroline Edwards and Florence M. Budd, Caroline Edwards by Margaret Case and A. H. Woods;

J. L. R. Bell by Florence M. Budd and Caroline Edwards, Joseph McCulley by Andrew Hebb and Florence M. Budd, Herman Gilroy by Florence Budd and A. G. Bell, J. R. Lockhart by Rhena Gilroy and Caroline Edwards, Leslie Poynton by Margaret Case and Florence Budd;

Public school trustee, one year, Mrs. Margaret Woods by Caroline Edwards and Florence Budd.

## Four Seek Three Council Seats In East Gwillimbury

East Gwillimbury township voters go to the polls on Monday to select three councillors from among four nominees.

They are Sam. Deans, Holland Landing, market gardener, George Pearson, Queensville, farmer, Kenneth Koss, Mount Albert, merchant, and Alan Shaw, Sharon, farmer.

Voting will be from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Reeve J. S. Osborne, who is serving this year as warden of York county, was nominated for reeve but did not qualify. Deputy-reeve Byron Stiver was nominated as reeve and qualified.

Councillor George Proctor was nominated for and qualified as deputy-reeve. There was no other nominee for deputy-reeve.

Councillors Shaw and Pearson were again nominated for the council. New men nominated were Mr. Ross, Mr. Deans and Jack Rye. Mr. Rye did not qualify.

# N. L. MATHEWS LEAVES CROWN ATTORNEY JOB

Crown attorney at Newmarket for the past seven years, N. L. Mathews, K.C., has tendered his resignation to the attorney-general, Hon. Leslie Blackwell. Mr. Blackwell has accepted the resignation, which was tendered on Nov. 22, but has requested Mr. Mathews to carry on until a successor is appointed.

Mr. Mathews gave as his reason for resigning the "increasing pressure of business," partly due to the absence of a partner, K. M. R. Stiver, on active service. He offered to carry on for a limited time, pending the appointment of a successor, but said that he would appreciate being relieved as soon as it could be arranged.

Mr. Mathews' resignation will not only permit him to act as defence counsel in the Newmarket police court, but also will free his partners, Miss B. E. Lyons and Joseph Vale, to defend persons charged.

With none of the members of Mr. Mathews' firm free to act as defence counsel, Allan M. Mills being the police court clerk, and Mr. Stiver being absent and also a member of Mr. Mathews' firm since his enlistment, Arleigh Armstrong has been the only Newmarket lawyer who was available to act as defence counsel.

Mr. Armstrong, in view of his past services to the Progressive-Conservative party, is likely to be the new crown attorney.

## ROBIN HAS FRIEND

A robin, who shuns the warm California sun for the Canadian winter, calls on Mrs. W. H. Eves, Prospect St., for his dinner every day between 12 and 1 o'clock. The same robin, Mrs. Eves thinks, has been depending on her for his dinner for the past two or three years.

## IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving their country on land, on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed for this column—Phone 780.

Mrs. E. Bray received a cable on Thursday telling of the safe arrival overseas of her son, A. S. Frederick G. Bray.

Lieut. John Scott, Petawawa, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Nelson Scott.

AW2 Joyce Smith, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Rockcliffe, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Smith.

AC2 Stuart Parks, Galt, spent the weekend with his wife and family.

L.-Cpl. Roy Sanderson, Camp Borden, spent Sunday with his wife and family.

LAC Gordon Wheatley, Fort William, is spending a few days with Rev. and Mrs. Henry Cotton.

Sgt. Ferguson Travis, Camp Borden, was in town recently visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Travis. Mrs. Travis has been ill.

AC2 Carl Codlin, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home.

AW2 Patricia Fulton, Drumheller, Alta., and AW2 Edith Slade, both of No. 14, S.F.T.S., Aylmer, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Coltham.

Pte. Robt. McElroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. McElroy, has arrived in British North Africa, according to word received by his parents.

AC2 Floyd Burling, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burling. Gnr. Ken. Gould returned to Halifax on Monday after spending four days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould.

## LIONS CHRISTMAS FUND

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H. M. ... 2.00  
Mrs. S. A. Wedder ... 2.00  
Mrs. Minnie Wilson ... 2.00  
Strand Theatre (M. D. McPherson) ... 5.00  
Office Specialty ... 104.00  
Dixon Pencil Co. ... 15.00  
\$137.00

# Gert Larsen Ashes Brought Home For Service Saturday

The ashes of the late Gert Wilfred Larsen, of the Royal Norwegian Air Force, who died in hospital in Scotland on June 9, were brought to Newmarket by a Norwegian air force officer on Friday.

A memorial service will be held at Roadhouse and Rose funeral chapel on Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

The Danish consul at Leith, Edinburgh, wrote Gert Larsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larsen, last June: "I along with members of the Danish colony and merchant navy officers at present in Leith attended the service at Seaford Crematorium on Saturday, the 12th."

"It was a most impressive ceremony. The coffin of a Norwegian sailor, draped with the Norwegian flag, and the coffin of Gert Larsen, draped with the Danish flag, were carried by Norwegian sailors through the cemetery grounds to the crematorium. The Norwegian colors at half-mast and the detachment of Norwegian sailors preceded the coffins and they were followed by a number of Norwegian officers and the Norwegian naval chaplain. A number of Danish residents and merchant navy officers attended the service."

"During the service the Norwegian sailors with the colors paraded and the naval chaplain, who had come up specially from London, spoke very sincerely, not only for the Norwegian, but also for the Dane, who had joined under the Norwegian flag."

"Capt. Lind of the Norwegian navy laid on each coffin a beautiful wreath from H.M. King Haakon and one from the Norwegian navy. There were also wreaths in red and white colors from Denmark, from the Danish legation and consulate-general, from the Danish council and the Danish recruiting office."

"The ashes are meantime kept at the Columbarium and if you will kindly let me know whether you wish the same sent to Canada or, after the war, to Denmark, same will be done at the expense of the Norwegian government."

Gert Larsen was born in Denmark 20 years ago, was brought to Canada when he was three years old and to Newmarket two years later. He grew up in Newmarket.

# Seven Men Seek Three North Gwillimbury Seats

The nomination meeting for North Gwillimbury was held at Belhaven on Friday. The attendance was not large and the meeting proceeded without any of the fireworks which in former days sometimes added interest.

When all nominations were in, Reeve Ross McMillan and Deputy-reeve Harold Glover were without competition, making the third consecutive acclamation for both.

Seven candidates appeared for the three council seats and all qualified to stay in the fight. James Nelson and Charles Graham, of the present council, stood for reelection. New candidates entering the field were J. L. Doyle, W. A. King, Murray Munro, Ralph Sedore and Lloyd Sillies.

Several references were made by the speakers of the afternoon to the loss the community had sustained by the death of Councillor John Smith. Mr. Smith had been an active and useful member of the council for several years and always a highly respected citizen.

Reeve McMillan expressed his thanks for another acclamation and gave the audience a review of the township's affairs. He called attention to a substantial increase in the surplus account, a lower general tax rate and an improvement in tax collections. His opinion was that the council's policy of careful spending and getting the township's finances in good shape was correct and should be continued, as the post-war years might bring conditions not so favorable.

Deputy-reeve Glover also told the audience how he appreciated the acclamation given him and endorsed the reeve's remarks.

The candidates for council and their sponsors addressed brief remarks to the audience. Ex-Reeve Ernest Sprague, who was present, made a few happy remarks. Attention of all the audience was called to the portraits of four North Gwillimbury reeves who had served as wardens of the county. The council had purchased these portraits and had them placed on the walls of the community hall.

Reeve McMillan said that four wardens during the period when these men had served was a remarkable record for the township and said it indicated that the township had been able to produce men worth-while.

Wm. Davidson announced that the Red Cross would be on hand election day with hot coffee and refreshments. The meeting closed with the national anthem.

## IS WITH ICE CAPADES

Joe Jackson, Jr., the funniest clown in the skating world will make you laugh and cry with Ice Capades of 1943 at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, Dec. 6 to 10.

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GERT LARSEN

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# Says Some Already Count On New League Failure

"In these modern, highly rationalistic days we are afraid of expressing our emotions," Headmaster Joseph McCulley of Pickering College commented in the course of an address on "Leadership" on Sunday afternoon at a quarterly meeting in the Newmarket Friends church.

"Our task is to rekindle faith, belief," said Mr. McCulley. "The League of Nations failed, not because of organization, but because we didn't believe in it. Already the skeptics and cynics are using that failure to prepare us for further failures."

"Already cynics and skeptics are telling us that the better world we idealists talk of is an illusion. Why? Because human nature is not made that way!"

"If that were true, there could

# Received your most welcome gift parcel of cigarettes and I sure appreciate them 100 per cent," LAC Wm. Dougan says in an airgraph letter of appreciation to the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund.

"Thanks to you all, I haven't been out of Canadian cigarettes since I came out here, he writes. "As you know by now, we are in Italy. It is very cold and damp at present. The weatherman figures we were in the desert so long we got fed up on the sun shining day after day, so he is mixing it up for us now."

"How are all the Vets? Give them all my best regards and say thanks a million. Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

"They are certainly appreciating and I can't thank you too much," Pte. Jack Williams tells the Veterans in a card acknowledging the receipt of cigarettes.

Have been no Wat Tyler, no Cromwell, no Voltaire, no Lincoln, no Elizabeth Fry."

Fred Haslam, Toronto, also spoke on leadership and Prof. John Hobart, clerk of the Montreal meeting, spoke in the morning on "Quakerism, Yesterday and Tomorrow."

About 100 Friends were present, mostly from Newmarket and Toronto.

## RECEIVES WINGS

LAC Leonard Wrightman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wrightman, Newmarket, received his wings at Aylmer on Friday. Among those who attended the wings parade were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wrightman and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wrightman, Marilyn and Catherine, and Mrs. Garnet Myers. Sgt.-Pilot Wrightman is spending two weeks furlough with his parents.

## CHANGE OFFICE HOURS

For the winter months The Era and Express office will be open Saturday afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock instead of Saturday evenings.

## Coming Events

Insertions under this heading one cent per word per week, minimum charge 25 cents a week, if paid within six days, otherwise 25 cents additional. There is no cheaper advertising for any event.

Dance at Middlebrook's—Every Wednesday night to Ken Rose and his Firefighters' orchestra. Admission 25c. t535

Friday, Dec. 3—Red Cross 25c tea in Soldiers' club rooms from 3 to 5.30 p.m. All ladies of the town invited. c3w42

Friday, Dec. 3—Dance at Belhaven hall, sponsored by the L.O.B.A. Mount Albert orchestra. Admission including lunch, 40 cents. Prizes as usual. t2w43

Saturday, Dec. 4—Exhibition of paintings by R. L. Chadwick will be open 2 to 5 p.m. in the Aurora high school auditorium. Admission free. t1w44

Wednesday, Dec. 8—Dance at Zephyr hall to Purvis's orchestra. Modern and old-time dancing. Starts at 9 p.m. sharp. Everybody welcome. t1w44

Thursday, Dec. 9—The Salvation Army home league sale will be held in the Salvation Army hall at 2.15 p.m. c1w44

Commencing Friday, Dec. 10—Watch for the high-class gift sale at Mrs. Bill White's, 51 Park Ave., Newmarket. Afternoons 3 to 5, evenings 8 to 10 p.m. A list of articles will appear in next week's issue. t2w45

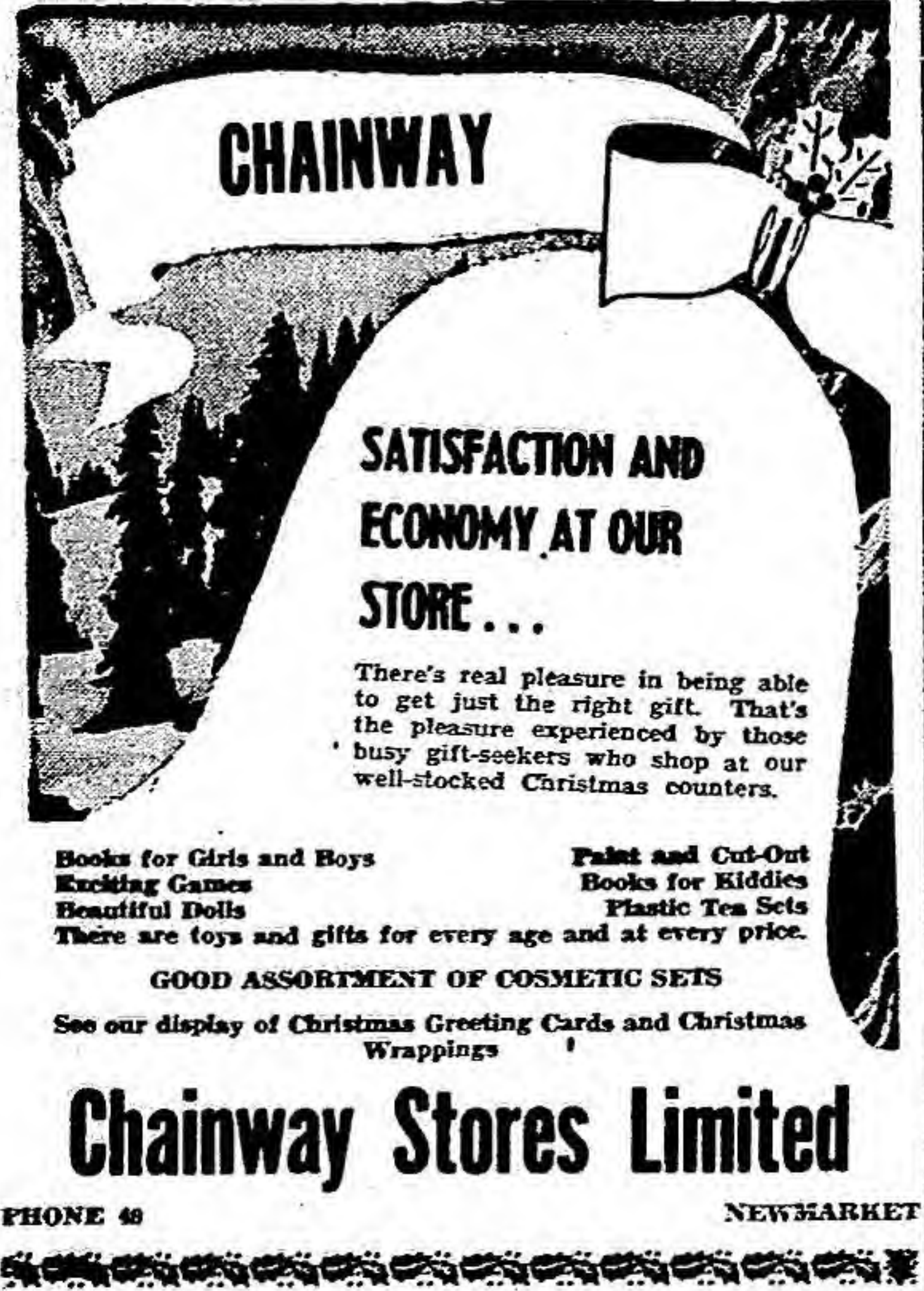
Friday, Dec. 10—Euehre in the town hall at 8 p.m. c2w44

Thursday, Dec. 16—Euehre, dance and draw in the town hall at 8.30 p.m. Rose's orchestra. Admission 25 cents. Ten geese as prizes. t3w44

Friday, Dec. 17—Annual Christmas program in the Salvation Army hall at 8 p.m. Dialogues, recitations and Santa Claus. Admission 15 cents. t3w44



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### OPINIONS ARE THE SPICE OF DEMOCRACY

Citizens of Newmarket should pause a moment and say a word of thanks to the members of the town council and public school board who have served the town so well during the past year (and years). Particularly should the town say thanks to two retiring members of the public school board, Frank Bothwell, with 18 years of service to his credit, and R. L. Pritchard, with ten years of service. These men have attended countless meetings, made countless visits to the schools, and have taken an unflinching interest in the welfare of the teachers and pupils.

The mayor, reeve, deputy-reeve and six councillors have all been faithful to their duties during the past year, and have acted for the best as they saw it. The most difficult issue of the year was the question whether or not Newmarket was to engage a Victorian Order nurse. Mayor Dales promised a year ago that the council would contribute toward the cost, and it seemed that, by their silence, most of the other councillors approved of his pledge. Dr. Dales did his best to carry out the promise, and Councillors Spillette and Perks stood by him. It was not their fault that the grant was not made, and the other councillors were entitled to oppose such a grant.

However, it seems inconsistent for these other councillors to oppose a grant for a Victorian Order nurse, something easily within the reach of the town, something which would have proved of considerable help to the people of the town, and then, as they did at Friday night's nomination meeting, to advocate grandiose schemes for a public health clinic at York County hospital combined with a system of insurance which would enable people to pay in a moderate premium in return for whatever medical services they might from time to time need. Such a clinic would be preferable to a public health nurse, but not a substitute for a public health nurse. In fact, such a clinic would probably need at least two full-time nurses, and there would still be need for a public health nurse or V.O.N. nurse to visit schools and homes.

By advocating even more elaborate social services than the public has asked for, these councillors, led by Mr. Lundy, admit the need for medical services, but by their refusal to do the easy, obvious thing and their expressed preference for the grandiose, and presently impossible thing, they make progress impossible. That just makes a game of the trials, worries and toil of the town's mothers. The other day a young Newmarket mother turned her back for a moment and one of the children thrust the baby's leg against a hot stovepipe. Apparently the mother felt she could not afford to call a doctor at a cost of three dollars and so she went in search of a neighbor who knew how to dress a burn. Had there been a V.O.N. nurse she could have called her in for 50 cents, or nothing, if she couldn't afford to pay. That is but one example. There are hundreds of homes where a V.O.N. nurse could give comfort and help. What a god-send one would have been during this "flu" epidemic!

Mr. Lundy talks of "strong committees" at York county council to study social services. York county council has been talking and studying for years, but it just waits for the federal or provincial government to take action. Certainly federal health insurance is coming but the money to pay for it is coming at least partly out of the average man's pay envelope. We can't dodge the cost of these services, whether we raise the money through municipal, provincial or federal government, and when we have health insurance we will still need a public health nurse or a V.O.N. nurse and maybe a couple of them.

While we disagree with decisions made, we still think that Newmarket's 1943 councillors have done a good job and deserve a word of appreciation.

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Wm. Harrison was appointed caretaker of the high school at a salary of \$500 a year at a high school board meeting on Monday evening.

There was only a small attendance at the board of trade meeting in the fire hall last Friday evening.

Eggs were 70 and 75 cents a dozen on the market on Saturday. Butter was 50 cents a pound. Dressed chickens were 25 and 32 cents a pound.

Mr. Earl Travis, Oakville, spent the weekend in town.

Miss Myrtle Clifford of Toronto spent Sunday with Miss Mae Stork.

Mr. W. J. Hammell, Bradford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Waldruff and family are visiting in Bradford.

Reeve Keith and Deputy-Reeve Pearson are attending county council in Toronto this week.

MARRIED—In Newmarket, Nov. 27, 1918, Lawrence Symons of Toronto to Miss Dela Wideman, Newmarket.

**50 YEARS AGO**

From The Era and Express files, Dec. 1, 1893

The Newmarket football team defeated the Varsity team from Toronto by 3-1. The team consists of C. H. Flood, S. Gibney,

### EDITOR SLIPS FROM GRACE

To while away the minutes of waiting which preceded the 9 p.m. (last Saturday) deadline for qualification by municipal nominees, three members of the 1943 (Messrs. Lundy, Evans and Spillette) Newmarket town council read the editor of this newspaper a lecture for allegedly aiding and abetting some of the ladies of the Newmarket Home and School Association in trying to induce new men to offer themselves for the council.

Their complaint is that it will cost the town \$300 to elect one man to the council. The six 1943 (excluding mayor, reeve and deputy-reeve) councillors and one new nominee qualified for election. The public must choose six of the seven. They admitted that the new man nominated was a good man, but they thought that there should either be a number of new candidates or none.

There is a problem there, but have our friends the answer? Should a man nominated for public office not qualify so that he will not cause an election? And if an election is to be avoided by someone refraining from qualifying, would it not be better for one of the present councillors to drop out and make way for a new man? Isn't one new man each year in a council of nine a good idea? But isn't the idea of avoiding an election a mistaken one?

Councillor Wm. Dixon said on Friday evening that he believed in an election and that he would be a candidate if there was an election. On other occasions, other years, he has gone farther and said that he would not be a candidate unless there was a contest.

One of our councillor friends said that he would like to see either 12 contenders for the six council seats or none. Yet there never would be six new contestants if each waited, before qualifying, to make sure that there were going to be five other new contestants. The good citizen, who has been nominated and sees his way clear to serving, will step forward and qualify regardless of what others may do. A year ago two new men qualified for the council in addition to the six members of the 1942 council. One of those candidates was defeated and the other came fourth among the six elected.

At the same time there were six contestants (all new) for three school board seats, and so there was more to vote about last year. This year there were even more nominees for the three two-year school board terms, but it turned out that only three candidates qualified. Perhaps some did not qualify because three had already qualified and the former either did not want to enter a contest or did not want to cause an election. But is that the way to select school trustees (or councillors)? Are the first three or the first six to qualify to be declared trustees or councillors, or should all who feel so inclined qualify and let the public make the decision? Are extra council nominees to wait to see if there is going to be a school board election before they qualify and cause an election, and are extra school board nominees to wait and see if there is going to be a council contest before they qualify? Or should they go ahead and offer their services, as the statutes provide, and let the public make its choices?

Supposing that this year's councillors had announced a couple of weeks ago that they were going to return to office and that they did not want anyone to run against them, so that the town would be saved the expense of an election, they could have been sure of someone to contest every seat on the council. The public might be wrong, just as it may have been wrong when it turned down the two-year term, but this is the way it would have reasoned: "You are going to save us \$300, but you handle a business of over \$100,000, and if you don't want an election then we do."

Our council friends thought that the brave handful of ladies who attended the meeting, and made quite a few nominations, were "interfering" in town business, were "trying to run the council as well as the school board." As a matter of fact, they did a good job, and it was not their fault that most of those nominated did not choose to qualify.

The quarrel, if there is any quarrel, should be not with those who did attend and did take an interest, but with those who did not attend. We did not make a count, but our guess is that there were possibly three dozen men at the meeting and a little more than half a dozen ladies. It would have been a sorry nomination meeting if the ladies had not been there.

In conclusion, we nominate as Newmarket's best citizens of the week the mayor, reeve, deputy-reeve and six 1943 councillors (inclusive of our three critics) who qualified for re-election, the 1942-43 school board member who qualified, and particularly the candidates who have offered their services for the first time; the three new members of the school board, and the new candidate for the council.

### MOTHER IS ILL

Mrs. Robert Moore, mother of Mrs. J. O. Little, who has been confined to her home for the past three weeks, is still quite ill.

Ed. Irvine, Ira Clark, T. F. Doyle, Walt. Cain, W. E. Foster, A. McCrimmon, W. Rolling, Geo. Clark and A. Hollingshead.

About 50 young people went roller-skating in Aurora on Thanksgiving.

N. Fierheller has built a neat cottage on one of the lots which he purchased on Huron St.

The second story and gymnasium of the new high school building are completed and are ready for use.

It looks as though the Queen St. bridge will be completed before the Water St. bridge, notwithstanding the length of time the Water St. bridge has been under construction.

MARRIED—On Nov. 22, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. H. S. Matthews, James Ernest Mosley to Eva Danbrook, all of Aurora.

MARRIED—At the Methodist parsonage, Newmarket, Nov. 22, by Rev. J. Odery, Thos. J. Lawson, King, to Alice Newbury, Coldwater.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's father, Nov. 29, by Rev. J. Odery, Richard Patten to Mary E. daughter of Isaac Scott, Newmarket.

### CHANGE OFFICE HOURS

For the winter months The Era and Express office will be open Saturday afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock instead of Saturday evenings.

### TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST GWILLIMBURY

Sam Deans stands for progress with economy and a fair deal to all parts of the township and as a returned veteran of the last war has the interest to see that our soldiers returning will have the opportunity to be re-established.

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**Vote SAM. DEANS Mon., Dec. 6**

The great industrial city of Frankfurt in western Germany was raided last Thursday night by R.C.A.F. Halifax bombers. Observation was poor and the crews were uncertain as to the extent of the damage.

Russians reopened a drive at Cherkasy, half way between Kiev and Kremenchug. Three Nazi strongholds were overcome including Russkaya-Polyana. Shock troops operating from the south captured Stryeshin, a key station for thousands of Nazis in the Gomel area.

Chinese forces successfully routed two Japanese divisions of approximately 30,000 men in the strategic area of Changteh in a fierce three-day battle.

Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and President Chiang Kai-shek are conferring in Cairo preliminary to a meeting with Premier Stalin in Persia.

United States bombers bombed on Tuesday the Ruhr city of Solingen for the first time, with a loss of two planes.

Bulgarian and Rumanian Partisan units have joined the People's Army of Liberation and are fighting beside a formidable Yugoslav guerrilla force.

The British-Canadian army in Italy is moving forward.

Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, famous Canadian writer, is dead.

### REV. A. J. PATSTONE RECALLS JOY OF 1918

"How well one recalls the day 25 years ago when it was one's privilege to phone a message along a valley in New Brunswick asking for the ringing of the church bells," Rev. A. J. Patstone, formerly of Newmarket, recalled at a Remembrance day service at Stayner.

"The war was over and we felt a great sense of relief," he said. "We know better now that it was no more than an armistice. We must, however, remember the sacrifices made for the measure of success achieved. Some people question the fitness of the observance of Remembrance day now. It has been said that it is a mark of a decadent people to forget its dead. There is much truth in that statement."



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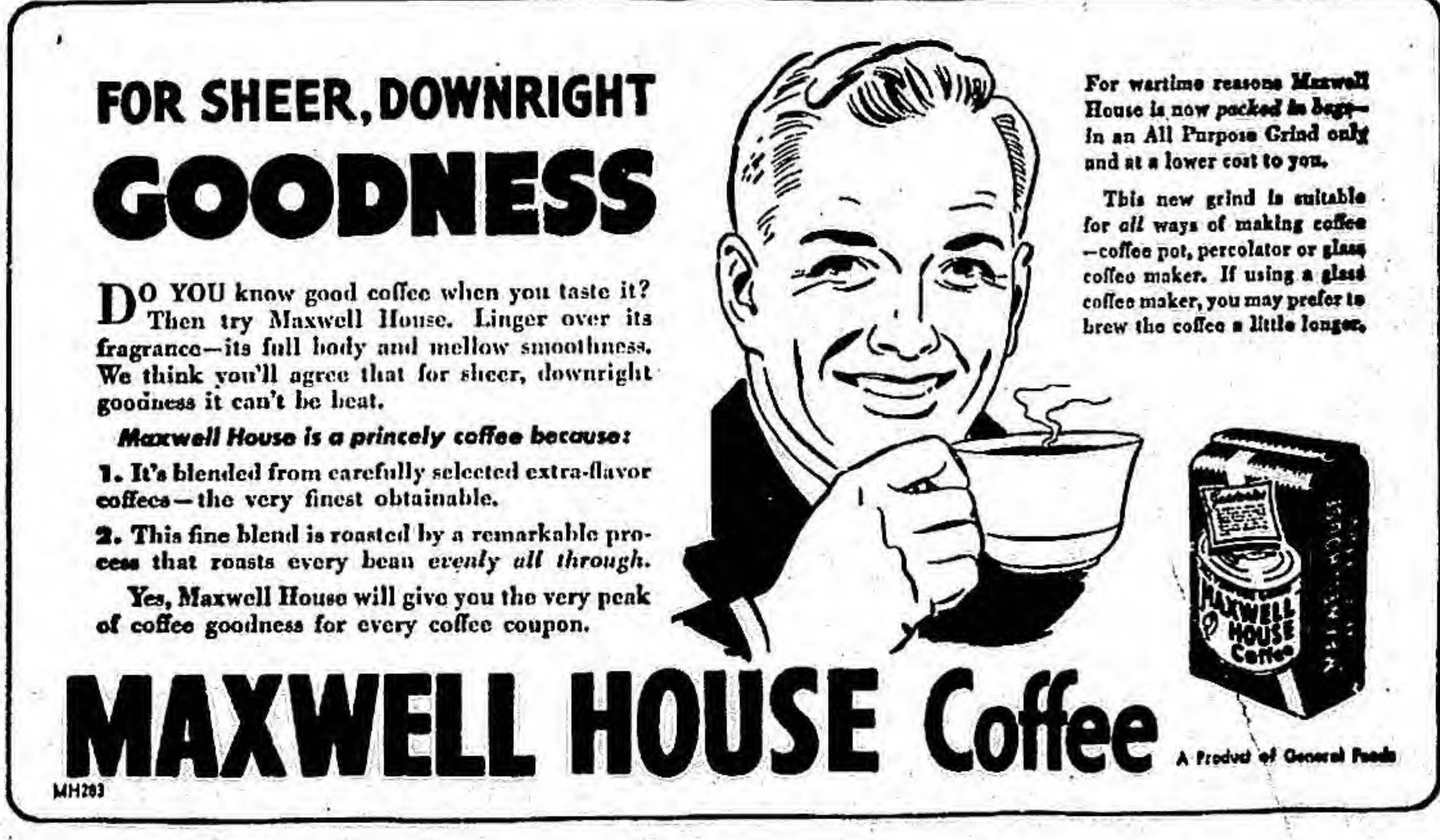
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**UNION STREET**  
The Union St. Women's Institute held a quilting at Miss Violet Micks' last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Atkinson, Stayner, called on Mrs. Lillian Johnston and others over the weekend.  
Mrs. D. English held a quilting

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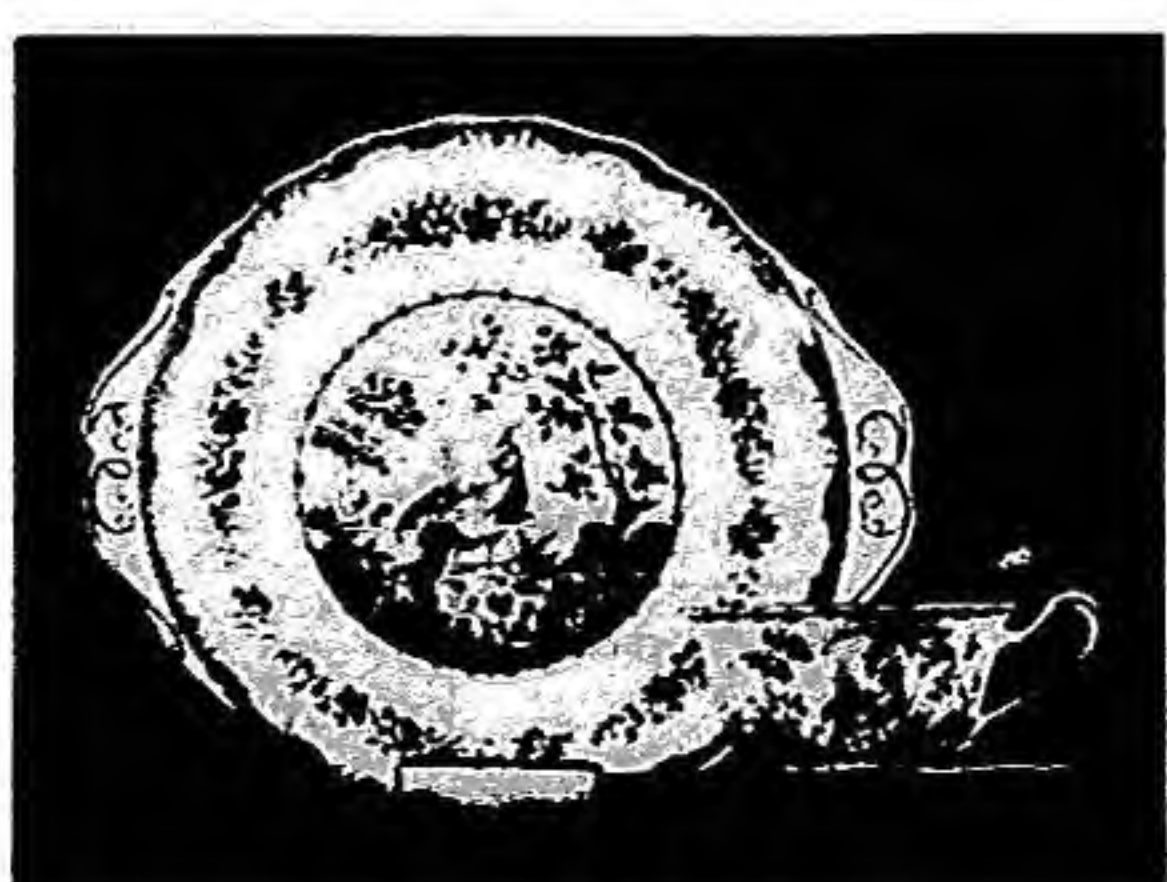
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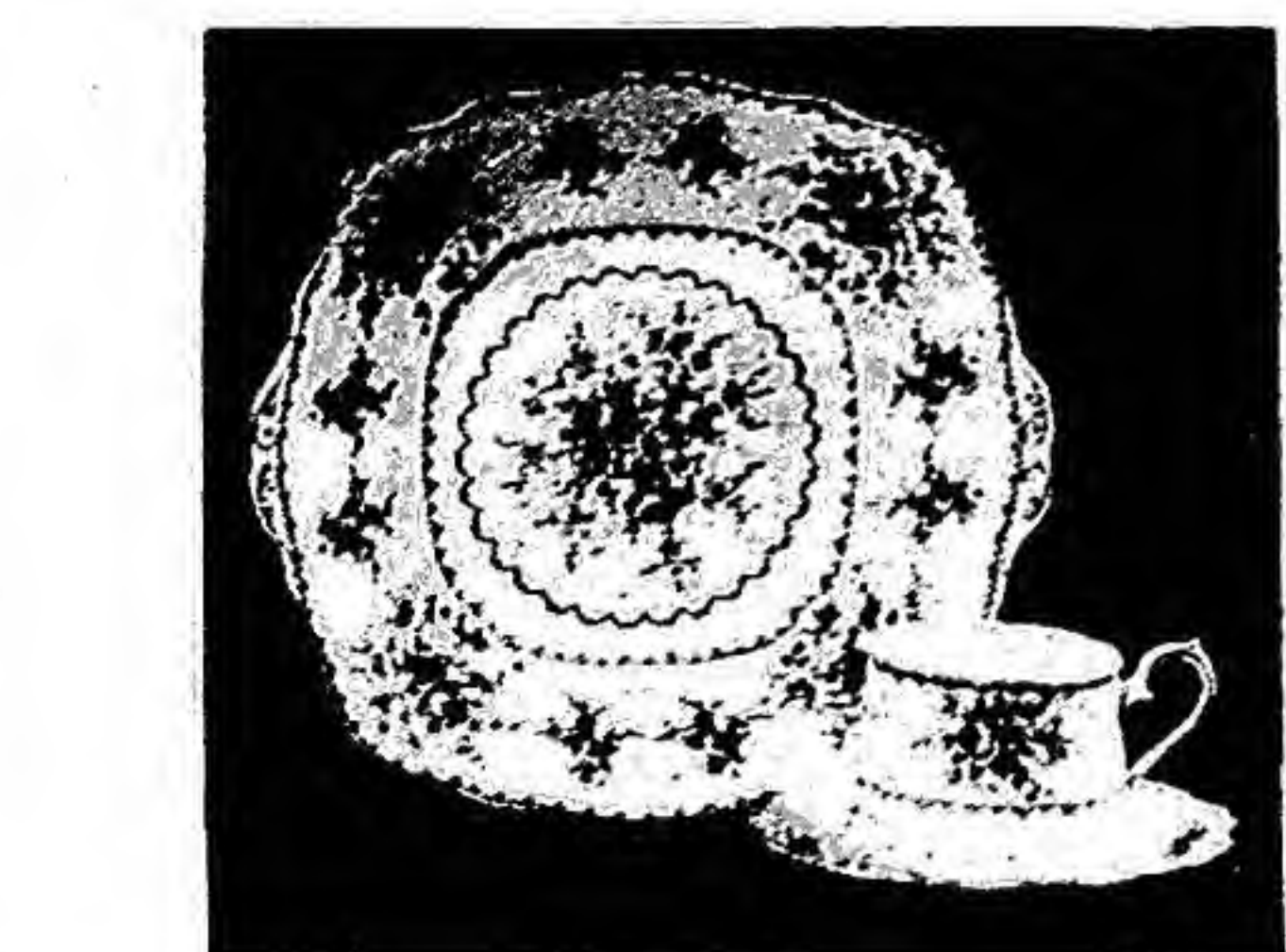
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**PLEASANTVILLE**  
**Mrs. L. Wellman Is  
Community Club Head**

The community prayer meeting will be held on Dec. 6 at the home of Mr. Doug. McClure.

The Union church at Pine Orchard was well attended on Sunday afternoon. The guest soloists, Miss Ruby Strasser and Mr. Terry Doane, Queensville, were much appreciated. Rev. R. R. McMath gave a wonderful temperance sermon.

The Bogartown club opened its first meeting of the season with a supper. The election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. L. Wellman, president; Stuart Starr, secretary; Joshua Stickwood, treasurer.

Miss Margaret Kitchen, Schomberg, spent the weekend at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Williams.

Mrs. Needler spent a few days last week with friends in Toronto.

Art. Barry of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent Sunday at the Needler home.

The Women's Institute meeting will be held Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. L. J. Harper. Roll call will be to name a character in Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

### Pine Orchard

Mrs. Ernest Brown, Toronto, spent last Sunday with her

mother, Mrs. John Reid.

Albert Clarke spent last weekend at his home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Eveleigh and Bruce, Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnston and Earl were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Reid spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Roffey, Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Collins, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Armitage.

Miss Edith Shropshire, Newmarket, spent Sunday at home.

Douglas Hope of the R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Hope, Toronto, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope. The newlyweds were treated to an old-fashioned charivari on Monday night.

The Community club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dike on Friday night at 8.30.

Roy Pyle, R.C.N.V.R., is stationed at Montreal. Henry Jones is at B.T.C., Brampton, and AC2 Richard Hutchinson has been transferred to Calgary, Alta.

Mrs. Hunter, Cedar Valley, is visiting relatives at Highland Creek.

### GLENVILLE

### Glenville Church Has 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James West spent Sunday with Mrs. Shanks, Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Webster and Jean, Newmarket, spent

**ROLLAND LANDING**  
**BUILD HOME, FRIENDS  
ENTERTAIN AT SHOWER**

A delightful evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCallum on Saturday, the event being a celebration for their nephew, Emerson Wolfe, of the secret service in the R.C.A.F. He is leaving for British Columbia on Monday.

A collection was taken for the cigarette fund for the village boys overseas and \$14.35 was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wray and family of Schomberg were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stephenson on Sunday.

Pte. Norman Sweet, Toronto, was home over the weekend.

Pte. T. Pearce, Brantford, was home over the weekend.

A shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollingshead on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hollingshead were burned out on Thanksgiving day. They moved into their new home over the weekend.

A euchre will be held on Friday evening in the school house for the cigarette fund. The ladies are asked to provide.

The box of clothing sent to the Russian relief headquarters by Holland Landing ladies last week contained the following items: four women's coats, two women's dresses, two tams, one man's overcoat, one man's cap, two pairs socks, one fur cap, some pieces of fur, one large quilt and one cot quilt.

### HOPE CUTS ANKLE WHEN SPLITTING KINDLING

Mrs. A. Trivett, Newmarket, spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. J. Davis, Mrs. M. L. Pegg and Jack Pegg.

Miss Amy Gibson, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mrs. D. B. Stickwood.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stickwood, Elton and Ronald, were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Stickwood.

Mr. Mulholland cut his ankle when he was splitting kindling on Sunday. The cut required six stitches.

Misses Ruth and Joyce Brenair, Toronto, spent the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Broderick and Mrs. M. Hall were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. J. Goode, Queensville.

Mrs. Arthur Lepard and Mrs. F. Cunningham visited Mrs. G. Broderick on Wednesday.

Mr. W. Fairbairn and Miss Maud Fairbairn were guests on Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pegg's, Bradford.

Mrs. Max Fairbairn, Holt, spent Wednesday with Miss Maud Fairbairn.

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster.

An enjoyable evening was spent last Wednesday evening at Glenville church, when the older members met to celebrate the 25th anniversary. A lovely supper was served. Mr. Burton gave moving pictures and a talk on different countries, which was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hughes and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Gould and family, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mrs. George Hartman and daughter spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharpe.

Miss Morrison spent last weekend with friends in Barrie.

**LOCAL MARKET**

Prices on the local market on Saturday morning for eggs were 45 to 53 cents a dozen. Butter brought 38 to 40 cents a pound. Young chickens sold at 32 cents a pound and hens, 28 to 30 cents a pound.

Apples brought 35 cents a basket and buns sold at 25 cents a dozen.

**TORONTO MARKETS**

On the Toronto markets on Tuesday, butter, creamery solids, No. 1, brought 35 cents a pound and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 36 1/2 cents a pound.

The country truck price on No. 1 grade churning cream was 35 cents and delivered to Toronto, 38 cents.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 50 cents; A medium, 48 cents; A pullets, 45 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 1 1/4 to 1 3/4 pounds, 28 cents; fowl, over 5 pounds, 26 1/2 cents; chickens, over 5 pounds, 30 cents.

Weighty steers were \$11 to \$12.60; butcher steers and heifers, \$10 to \$11.50; boners, downward to \$7; butcher cows, \$6.75 to \$8.75; canners and cullers, \$5 to \$6.50; bulls, \$7.50 to \$9; fed yearlings, \$12 to \$13.50, and stockers, \$7.75 to \$10.50.

Lambs traded at \$12.20 to \$12.65 for good ewes and wethers, with the bulk at \$12.50; bucks, \$1 discount, and culls, \$8 to \$9. Sheep were \$3 to \$7.50.

Hogs sold at \$17.15 dressed weight.

THE NEWMARKET ERA AND EXPRESS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2ND, 1943

**BROWNHILL**  
**Chinese Auction Helps  
Ladies' Patriotic Club**

A successful dance was held in Brownhill on Nov. 20, sponsored by the Ladies' Patriotic Club.

The moving pictures arranged and presented by Mr. Sheffield of Toronto were enjoyed and appreciated by all. Pictures of the Royal Visit and the World's Fair were shown in technicolor. Others shown were Popeye, The Skating Carnival, Lumber Camp up North, Skiing and a short reel taken at the Brownhill school of local people.

After an enjoyable evening of dancing a Chinese auction was held on a 7-lb. chicken, netting the club \$7. This was won by one of the Comer boys.

The evening ended with a tasty lunch, served by members of the club.

The club plans to hold another dance on Dec. 4 at 8 p.m. in the school.

Mrs. Warren Sedore is home from the General hospital, Toronto, and is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Wilnot King is doing nicely after her operation in the General hospital, Toronto.

Lawrence Rose is moving back to Toronto for the winter.

Ethan Morton, foreman of the Toronto and York Roads Commission, and his men have been erecting snow fences for the past six weeks around Markham, King City, Maple and Weston.

The Christmas boxes for the soldiers of this community in training centres in Canada are to be packed on Dec. 8 at Mrs. Ken Williamson's. All the ladies of

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## This Week's Winners Have Opportunity Of Seeing Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan and Rita Hayworth

Sixty-one contestants sent in correct answers to last week's scrambled word contest. Others were late or incorrect. The non-winning correct answers will be kept on file for reference in breaking future ties.

This week's winners are: Mrs. E. Vernon, 83 Andrew St., Newmarket. Miss Ada McKinnon, Newmarket. Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Newmarket. Mrs. Arthur Hare, Holland Landing. And Mrs. Arthur Brice, 79 Andrew St., Newmarket.

These five winners may pick up their prizes any evening at the Strand theatre. They have their choice of the program on Tuesday, Dec. 7, when "Presenting Lily Mars," a musical comedy starring Judy Garland and Van Heflin, and "Miss V From Moscow," are the feature attractions, or Friday, Dec. 10, instead of Thursday, when "Air Force," starring William Bendix and Arline Judge, and "The McGuerins from Brooklyn" are on the program.

The correct answers were: property, register, beaver, roadster, lengths, references, carrier, enamelled, rumble or lumber, imitation.

## THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The five winners of this week's contest will have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre on Tuesday, Dec. 14, when "China Girl," starring George Montgomery, Gene Tierney and Victor McLaglen, and "Queen of Broadway," will be featured, or Thursday, Dec. 16, when "Affectionately Yours," starring Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan and Rita Hayworth, and "Man Power" are on the program.

Answers must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning. This week the ten classified words have been scrambled. Here they are: COLDTUNIAEA, REASICAN, SREVOSHEO, SINTUPENAT, GIKTANS, NIGONRM, TEAKRECAR, LECHKO-M, WINKROG, LEGRANE.

## WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion, 25c extra if not paid within week of first insertion, 10c extra for use of box number.

## 1 HOUSE FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**  
6-roomed stucco house. Sunroom, cellar, barn, henhouse, brooder house, drive shed. Five acres. Good pump. Hydro in all buildings. One and a half miles from town. \$3,000. \$1,000 down.

Grey stucco house on Ontario St. \$600 down.

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Brick double tenement house. Two lots. Barn, stable, henhouse and garage. Splendid investment. Twenty others to choose from. E. A. Boyd & Co., Newmarket, phone 533 or 428. c1w44

## 3 FARM FOR SALE

**For sale**—Farm. 97 acres, two miles northeast of Newmarket. On highway. Brick house, hip roof barn, plenty of water. Apply Wm. Eves, Newmarket, R. R. 1, Phone Newmarket 185w3. c1w44

## 6A HOUSE WANTED

**Wanted to buy**—A small house, bungalow preferred, with all conveniences, possession in the spring. Cash price. Write Era and Express box 775. c2w44

## 12 ROOMS FOR RENT

**For rent**—3 or 4 furnished rooms. Heated. Conveniences. Central. Also garage. Enquire 12 Queen St. W., Newmarket. c1w43

## 12c GARAGE FOR RENT

**For rent**—Double garage. 2 doors south of Pickering College on Second St. south. G. Climpson, Newmarket. c1w44

## 17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

**For sale**—Boys' winter overcoat, size 16 years. Two pairs of one-buckle overalls, size 6 and 7½. Nearly new. Phone 166w1, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Pair lady's skates and boots, size 6½, nearly new. Pair lady's skating boots, size 5½. Apply 176 Main St., Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Boys' breeches. Now available at Insley's Men's and Boys' Wear. Whiplcord, blue mac-kraw and the old reliable Humpries' tweeds. c1w44

**For sale**—Hand washing machine with wringer. Apply 37 Huron St. W., Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Cook stove. Deep fire box with water front. In good condition. Apply morning or evening at 19 Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Choice Border canaries. H. Draper, highway 11, Holland Landing, phone Newmarket 513. c1w44

**For sale**—Six pairs of skates and boots, sizes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and one pair of girl's skates, size 5. Apply Budd Huddy, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Pair of knee boots, leather tops, size 9. 44. Quebec heater, medium size. \$16. All in good condition. Apply 223 Main St., Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Rubbers. Stop! Look! Men's full grain leather high top, laced roll edge rubbers. Now available at Insley's Men's Wear. Act quickly. Sizes 6 to 11. c1w44

**For sale**—Rock-a-bye baby gifts, such as banks, Mother Goose plaques and other educational toys. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—One cook stove range, Renfrew. Apply Mrs. Gladys Forsythe, Holland Landing. c2w44

**For sale**—Pair of girl's skates and boots. Size 3. Phone 615, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Quantity of 2 and 3 inch hemlock plank in the rough, 14 and 16 ft. long, apply 35 Catharine Ave., Aurora, or phone 163, Aurora. c1w44

**For sale**—Doll carriage. Large size. Good condition. \$8. Also heavy duty bicycle carrier, \$1. Apply 4 Main St., Newmarket, or phone 343. c1w44

**For sale**—At Insley's. Men's Turnbolls' 432 Ceece pure wool combinations. Size 40s for men troubled with arthritis or rheumatism. c1w44

**For sale**—Large cookstove. Apply Ross Sturdy, Keswick. c2w43

**For sale**—Hardwood. Cut in stove lengths. Delivered. Apply Garret Fairbairn, Sharon, or phone Queensville 1702. c1w43

**For sale**—Boys' parka, overcoat, and sport coat, size 36. Also two pairs boots and skates, size 6 and 8. Apply Era and Express box 774. c1w44

**For sale**—Boys' black leather coat, 10 yr. size. Boys' skates and boots, size 2. Girl's skates and boots, size 11. 127 Prospect Ave., Newmarket. c1w42

**For sale**—At Insley's. Boys' extra good quality work boots. Made of army leather. Will stand hard punishment. \$3.29. Sizes 1 to 5. c1w44

**For sale**—Household effects of every description, furniture, stoves, glassware, dishes, men's suits, overcoats, leather coats, mackinaws, shoes, children's coats, snowsuits, women's coats, etc. Everything in good condition. 206 Main St., Newmarket. Phone 162. c1w44

**For sale**—Ladies' and children's shoes at Hooker's Dry Goods Store. c1w44

**For sale**—Men's all wool Penman's No. 25 combination underwear. \$5. Insley's Men's Wear. c1w42

## 17A PRODUCE

**For sale**—Apples. Snows, Alexanders, Wagners, Gano, Starks and Delicious. Apply E. F. Stretter, Newmarket. Phone 258. c2w43

## 18 ARTICLES WANTED

**Wanted to buy**—A baby's sleigh. In good condition. Mrs. Harold Brown, phone 556, Newmarket. c1w44

**Wanted to buy**—Used bob-sleigh. Also small cook stove for coal or wood. Phone 681, Newmarket. c1w44

**Wanted to buy**—Used doll carriage. In good condition. Apply Mrs. J. J. Newmarket, or phone 1253, Bradford. c1w44

**Wanted to buy**—Electric heater. In good condition. Apply Mrs. J. J. Newmarket, or phone 1253, Bradford. c1w44

## 19 USED CAR FOR SALE

**For sale**—1934 Graham sedan. May be seen at Taylor's Imperial station, Newmarket. c1w44

## 22 HELP WANTED

**Help wanted**—Reliable girl or woman for general housework two days a week. Phone 369w, Newmarket. c1w44

## WANTED

**Wanted**—Caretaker for Newmarket high school. Applications will be received up to Dec. 17, 1943. State salary expected. Apply to Selective Service Office, 55 Main St., Newmarket. c2w44

**Help wanted**—Girl for general housework. References required. Write Era and Express box 773. c1w43

## 23 WORK WANTED

**Work wanted**—Middle-aged man wants work from now until Christmas. F. Watkinson, R. R. 2, Newmarket, or phone 161H. c1w44

## 24 LOST

**Lost**—About Nov. 23. Two hounds, one blue tick and one nearly black. Reward. Apply Wm. Lewis, Queensville. c1w43

## 27 FARM ITEMS

**For sale**—Fordson tractor, mag-rato ignition. First-class shape. Goodman's Auto Parts, phone 305w, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—A quantity of stove wood and some barn timbers. Apply E. Blizard, Eagle St., at stop light. c1w44

**For sale**—Wood. Mixed. By the cord or stove lengths. Also team working horses. Cheap. Apply E. Birdsell, (Pine Orchard). R. R. 3, Newmarket. c1w43

**For sale**—Viking W70 separator. Also three bird cages and canary breeding outfit. Phone Newmarket 185w2. Mrs. Chalkin, R. R. 3, Newmarket. c1w44

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**Wanted to buy**—Healthy, aged horses and injured animals. J. A. Cummings, Ravenshoe, or telephone Mount Albert 1707. c1w43

**For sale**—Quantity of lumber, old bricks, discs, plow points, harrows, and other farm implement parts. Apply at old Fleury Implement Building, opposite Ordnance, A. Hartman, phone Aurora 26j. c1w42

**Wanted to buy**—Live horses for fox feed. Phone 182, Aurora. c1w41

## 28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

**For sale**—50 young pigs, 6 to 12 weeks old. 2 crows, Durham, grade cattle, one with calf, 3 years, other to freshen Dec. 21. Overstocked. Apply Sid. Legge, Strigley St., phone 661, Newmarket. c1w44

**For sale**—Good sized pony. Apply Lewis Rollings, 2½ miles north of Queensville. c1w43

**For sale**—Black mare, eight years old, general delivery. \$50 down. L. Shier, P.O. box 831, Newmarket. c2w43

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## 31 MISCELLANEOUS

## ROCKWOOL

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## CARS, TRUCKS AND TRACTORS WANTED

**Wanted to buy**—Cars, trucks and tractors wanted for wrecking and scrapping. Apply Goodman Auto Wreckers, Newmarket. c1w33

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**Slender tablets**—harmless and effective. 2 weeks' supply, \$1; 3 months' \$5. At Bell's Drug Store, Newmarket. c1w39

## SALE REGISTER

**Friday, Dec. 3**—Auction sale of Clydesdale horses, cattle, sheep, Yorkshire swine, poultry, hay, grain, feed and electric feed grinder, the property of Garnet C. Stiver, lots 23 and 24, con. 3, East Gwillimbury, 1½ miles north of Queensville. Sale at 12 noon sharp. Terms cash. Stanley G. Miller, Zephyr, auctioneer, W. M. Eves, Queensville, clerk. c1w41

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service will be held for the late Pte. Gert Wilfred Larsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larsen, Newmarket, in the funeral chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Saturday, Dec. 4, at 3:30 o'clock.

## BIRTHS

**Dion**—At York County hospital, Thursday, Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dion, Oak Ridges, a son.

**Dyer**—At York County hospital, Saturday, Nov. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dyer, Mount Albert, a son.

**Farris**—At York County hospital, Saturday, Nov. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. James M. Farris, R. R. 2, Newmarket, a son.

**Porter**—At York County hospital, Friday, Nov. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Porter (nee Isobel Douglas), R. R. 4, Tottenham, a daughter. Jean Evelyn. c1w41

## DEATHS

**Craddock**—At St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, Nov. 25, William Craddock, 63 24th St., Long Branch, husband of the late Annie Smith, in his 76th year. (220th battalion and 6th C.R.T.)

The funeral service was held at Toronto on Sunday afternoon. Interment Veterans' plot, Newmarket cemetery.

**Fiddell**—At his residence, 226 St. Clarens Ave., Toronto, Nov. 27, William Henry Fiddell, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fiddell, Queensville, and brother of Mrs. T. T. Bailey, Portage la Prairie, Man., and Mrs. James F. Parr, Winnipeg.

The funeral service was held at his residence on Tuesday afternoon. Interment Queensville cemetery.

**Harris**—At her home, 20 Kingsley Ave., Toronto, Nov. 26, Elizabeth Harris, in her 89th year, wife of the late John Harris and mother of Fred and Charles A. Harris.

The funeral service was held at the residence on Monday afternoon. Interment Aurora cemetery.

**Purdy**—At Keswick, on Nov. 23, Mary, widow of the late Silas Purdy, in her 76th year, mother of John C. Hamilton; William, Keswick; Horace, Long Branch; Clayton, Toronto; Lawrence, Winnipeg.

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## SUNDAY IS BIBLE SUNDAY

Sunday was the first Sunday in advent and the beginning of a new church year at St. Paul's Anglican church. The morning service consisted of a shortened form of matins, with the litany. The beautiful chrysanthemums on the altar and the memorial tablet were in memory of Mrs. E. Fairley, placed there by her family.

On Tuesday morning, St. Andrew's Day, the patron saint of missionaries, a corporate communion of the members of St. Paul's Women's Auxiliary was held in the chapel.

There was a good turnout of members and their friends to hear the lecture and see the demonstration of the preservation of rayons and nylons by a Lever Bros. representative in the parish hall on Wednesday.

The intercession service will be held in the chapel this evening.

Tomorrow evening the Men's club will hold their social evening. Next Sunday is Bible Sunday, and all services will stress the Bible.

and sister of Mrs. Nellie Morton, Keswick.

The funeral service was held at the residence on Wednesday afternoon. Interment Queensville cemetery.

**Taylor**—On Tuesday, Nov. 30, at the Toronto General hospital, Alice Nicholson Taylor, widow of the late John S. Taylor, formerly of Owen Sound, late of 205 Seaton St., Toronto, and mother of Mrs. George Sproston, Newmarket; Mrs. L. Benson, Mrs. William Arnott, of Toronto, and sister of Mrs. Kate Hand, Bruce Mines, Ontario.

The funeral service was held in Toronto this afternoon. Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery.

**White**—At her late residence, eighth line, King, on Nov. 25, Sarah Currie, wife of the late Robert White, in her 95th year.

The funeral service was held in St. Paul's Presbyterian church, ninth line, King, on Saturday afternoon. Interment in adjoining cemetery.

**Wood**—Suddenly, at his home, Bradford, Nov. 23, James Franklin (Frank) Wood, husband of Ethel Sinclair.

The funeral service was held on Friday afternoon in Trinity Anglican church. Interment in St. Paul's cemetery. Coulson's Hill.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
The family of the late John Smith, Keswick, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from their kind friends and neighbors during their recent bereavement.

## CARD OF THANKS

The Salvation Army Red Shield auxiliary would like to thank the Gospel Tabernacle and the Free Methodist Sunday-schools for the articles donated for ditty bags.

## In Memoriam

**Everleigh**—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Ellen Everleigh, who passed away Dec. 3, 1940. Sweet memories will linger forever. Time cannot change them. It's true: Years that may come cannot sever Our loving remembrance of you. Ever remembered by her husband and family.

**Menar**—In loving memory of my dear husband, Wm. A. E. Menar, who died Dec. 1, 1942. Beautiful memories are all I have left of him. I loved him dearly and shall never forget. Memories are treasures no one can steal; Death leaves a heartache nothing can heal. Loving wife, Mary E.

**Menar**—In memory of our dear dad, William A. E. Menar, who died Dec. 1, 1942. Dad is gone but not forgotten. Thoughts of him are always near. Days of sadness will come o'er us. Friends may think the wound is healed, But they little know the sorrow That lies within the heart concealed. Always remembered by daughters, Velma and Florence.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mr. and Mrs. Alton Noecker and family of Drayton, Ont., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Drury.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Travis and Cpl. and Mrs. A. E. Bailey, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Travis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thomas, Zephyr, visited Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hatt, over the weekend.

—Miss Eileen Hart, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hart.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hopper spent the weekend with Mrs. Hopper's mother, Mrs. G. H. Knowles.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stewart A. Beare visited Mr. Beare's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hadden, Peterboro, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stewart A. Beare will visit Mrs. Beare's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Holby, Brougham, next Sunday, on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hills, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broughton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gill, Mimico, visited Mrs. Gill's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Cotton, over the weekend.

—Misses Pearl and Gloria Gray, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould.

—Mr. Thomas Hayes, Keswick, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Orley

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## CEDAR VALLEY BOY WEDS IN TORONTO



A pretty wedding was solemnized in Toronto on Nov. 7 when Rose Ender, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ender, Toronto, became the bride of Sol Cohn, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cohn, Cedar Valley.

The bride looked lovely in a beautiful silk gown, with train and veil. She was attended by Rose Cohn, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Milder, cousin of the bride, both wearing pink gowns, and Sylvia Kashtien, wearing a blue gown. They all wore short

veils and carried bouquets. Mrs. Morrier Ender was maid of honor, and wore a blue gown, short veil and carried a bouquet. Morrier Ender, brother of the bride, was best man. Larry Fagen was ring-bearer and Mary Tobias was flower girl and wore a pink dress.

The groom's mother wore a green gown with gold trimming and the bride's mother wore a black and gold gown.

The young couple received many beautiful gifts.

## DOUG. HOPE AND BETTY DENNIS WED

A pretty wedding took place in Leaside United church, Leaside, Nov. 20, when Jane Elizabeth Dennis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dennis, Newmarket, was united in marriage to Douglas James Hope, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hope, Pine Orchard.

Rev. H. A. Mellow performed the ceremony against a background of bronze and yellow mums and palms. C. G. Brown was at the organ and during the signing of the register the bride's brother-in-law, J. M. Wood, sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white mousseline de soie with flower and leaf designs of velvet. Her fingertip veil flowed from a sweetheart satin halo and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses, bouvardia and fern.

Mrs. Harold Dennis was matron of honor in blue silk jersey, with small blue hat and shoulder-length veil. The bridesmaids, Miss Doreen Harcourt and Miss Betty Hope, sister of the groom, wore rose street-length frocks of torso design small matching hats and shoulder-length veils. Their flowers were large mauve mums set in oak leaves.

The best man was Cecil Gould and the ushers were Jack Whitfield and Doug. McKay, all of the R.C.A.F.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. M. Wood. Mrs. Dennis and Mrs. Hope received, wearing black crepe with red rose corsages.

For a short trip to Hamilton, the bride donned a red princess-styled woolen jersey dress with black accessories, gray tweed coat and a corsage of red roses.

## COUPLE WILL LIVE AT MOUNT ALBERT

The United church parsonage at Mount Albert was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday afternoon, when Hazel Laurie Marion Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Skinner, Mount Albert, became the bride of Arthur William Kett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kett, Horneville, Ont. Rev. W. H. Burgess performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a street-length powder blue sheer dress with navy accessories and a corsage of forget-me-nots and roses. She was attended by Miss Bernice Comer of Mount Albert, wearing a rose crepe dress, navy accessories and a corsage of forget-me-nots and roses. Stanley Kett, brother of the groom, was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's mother received and wore a blue crepe gown and a corsage of pink roses, assisted by the groom's mother, who wore a blue frock and a corsage of pink roses.

After a wedding trip to Horneville the bride and groom will reside in Mount Albert.

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SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

## North York Boys Win Dominion Championship

Sharon Boys' Swine club team, after winning the provincial swine judging championship last week, won the national contest at Toronto with seven provinces competing.

The team consisted of Perry Winch, Jr., Keswick, who had the highest individual score, and Ewart Jennings, King, R. R. 3, who stood second, giving the team a total of 55 points over the Alberta team.

The boys were coached by J. D. Moore, who was in charge of the club work during the summer, and Agricultural Representative W. M. Cockburn.

The boys were presented with a beautiful silver trophy and silver plates at a banquet in the Royal York hotel, Toronto, last Wednesday evening, and the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Work gave each contestant in the national contest a silver medal.

Following the contests the boys and girls were taken to Niagara Falls, Hamilton and Ottawa, where they visited the experimental farm and were shown through the parliament buildings.

## Limit Farmers To 80 Percent Of 1943 Potash

A meeting of the Bradford Marsh fertilizer committee composed of J. Ruppe, Victor Turner, C. Browner, Peter Verkaik, G. Semenuk and L. J. Brooks met in Bradford on Tuesday to discuss fertilizer requirements for the 1944 crop.

Others attending the meeting included E. K. Hampson, regional supervisor of fertilizers, Earl Grose, representing the United Farmers' Co-operative Co., J. G. Breckenridge, assistant agricultural representative, Newmarket, and F. A. Lashley, agricultural representative, Alliston.

The administrator's order regarding the limitation of the use of potash was received. It revealed the maximum potash allowed in mixed fertilizers for the Bradford marsh will be 13 percent for 1944. The analysis for a ready mixed fertilizer will be 2-8-13. However, where chemicals are bought for home mixing the amount of potash sold to any farmer must not make any more than 13 percent potash in the mixture.

The committee learned from the discussion that the amount of potash supplied to any farmer will be 80 percent of the potash used by him in 1943. Additional potash may be supplied where an official soil test has been made by the soils division of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, provided that the extra potash is available. It was stated that applications for use of fertilizers containing potash for new marsh lands not fertilized in 1943 would be given special consideration.

The committee was advised that ammonium phosphate (11-48) will not be available throughout Ontario this year.

In order to avoid delays in delivery and to assist fertilizer firms in getting the materials ready for shipment growers were strongly advised to place orders for 1944 immediately. It was suggested that all orders should be completed and mailed to the regional supervisor, 85 Collier St., Toronto, not later than Dec. 10. Special forms for this purpose are being mailed to every grower. Additional copies may be secured through the members of the committee.

Growers wishing to have their soil sampled and tested with a view to securing additional potash should advise the committee at once. A great many growers have already had their soil sampling done by an official of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

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"Just a line to let you know all is well with me and to say I haven't forgotten you," Betty O'Brien Bob Benville of the R.C.N.V.R. writes Rev. Henry Cotton, pastor, Trinity United church, Newmarket.

"It is nice to know that your friends back home think of you," writes P. O. Benville. "It also urges us to work harder at our job to enable all of us to get home as soon as possible."

"I often think of the good old days back in Newmarket when a piece of steak was a piece of steak. However, I'm sure with the co-operative help of the folks at home we'll soon have them back again. Right now the days may be trying ones but at least we are consoled with the fact that our efforts will not be in vain."

"Things are as normal as can be expected out here under the circumstances. Most of the lads are happy enough and are getting plenty to eat."

"The most important item in the service man's life is mail—the greatest morale builder there could possibly be. I've met hundreds of men of all services and from various countries; it enumerates the same theme—it matters not where we ramp and roam as long as we get our mail from home. So there you have it in a nutshell."

"I for one can't complain but I've seen a lot of good lads go astray due to the decrease of mail from home. I stress this point because I know you are interested in the servicemen and what we enjoy most away from home."

"I will close for the present with regards to my friends associated with your church and trust all including yourself are enjoying good health."

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## BOYS HAVE BECOME GENUINE ENGLISHMEN

The following interesting letter was received by Mrs. Earl Toole, convenor of the Pleasantville overseas boxes committee, from Tpr. Orley McClure, who has been overseas for two years.

"Here I am at last, rather late, but they say better late than never," writes Tpr. McClure. "I hope you are all well and enjoying good health. For my part I have nothing to complain about or I like to be complaining. We are getting plenty of rain at the present time. In fact, a lot too much. I can't remember seeing the sun for the last week. I don't mean by that that I am up all night and sleep all day."

"The time has sure passed quickly since we left home. The other day we were talking about two years ago now. We were just leaving home. In some ways it seems only a short time but in other ways it seems as if I have spent most of my life over here. In fact, I think we have become genuine Englishmen. We use a lot of their expressions and some say we talk a little like them. We know the country far better than a lot who have lived here all their lives."

"Here I am writing away and forgetting the lovely box of chocolates that arrived five days ago. They arrived in perfect condition and believe me they really are good. I will be able to tell you a lot better how much they were enjoyed when I get back and can say what I like."

"Thanks a million for everything. You people have certainly done a lot to make life brighter for the boys over here. I feel sure that it is appreciated very much by all. Good luck to all."

## WITH THE FORCES

Group Captain Geoffrey O'Brien, R.C.A.F., a former member of St. Andrew's College staff, is in command of the R.C.A.F. repatriation depot, Ottawa, where Canada's air heroes are received as they come from overseas. Always interested in athletics and physical fitness, the men at the depot have one of the finest service basketball teams in Canada.

Pte. Donald Webster has been transferred from Simcoe to M.D. 2 headquarters in Toronto.

Donald Boynton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boynton, has recently been promoted to the rank of sergeant and has been transferred from Petawawa camp to Kingston.

Sgt. Reg. Southwood, 1st battalion, Queen's York Rangers, has been transferred from Debert, N.S., to Halifax, N.S.

AC2 John Bingham, King, has been posted to Lachine, P.Q., by the R.C.A.F.

Lieuts. John Allen and Kenneth Thompson of the 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers (reserve), have been re-elected mayor and deputy-mayor, respectively, of Weston.

Wren Verna Jones, R.C.N., Halifax, N.S., is on furlough at her home.

Pte. Wm. Ransom, Simcoe camp, spent the weekend at his home.

Cpl. Morley Barnard, R.C.A., Petawawa camp, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. Bill Fry, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. Charles Fry, has been mentioned in despatches from overseas recently as taking part in the bombings on Berlin.

Ptes. George Dewsbury and Albert Ryan, who are with the army service corps, have been transferred from Toronto to Camp Borden.

Mary Emmett, Kettleby, a graduate of Aurora high school, has joined the W.R.C.N.S. and is stationed at H.M.C.S., Conestoga, Galt.

Pte. Earl Simmerson, Brantford camp, has been transferred to an infantry training centre at Camp Borden.

Tprs. Bob Stephens and George Case have completed their courses at London and have been transferred back to Camp Borden for service with the armored corps.

Tprs. Don, Watson and Jim Graham, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at their homes.

W. A. Harrington, Unionville, a member of a well-known North York family, has been commissioned by the R.C.A.F. overseas after a year's service.

Kettleby

Miss Elsie Rea, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Heacock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dale, Tottenham, had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beatty on Sunday.

Earl Heacock, R.C.A.F., Toronto, is on a ten day leave at his home.

Mr. Frank Billings was rushed to York County hospital, Newmarket, on Sunday morning for an appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Robertson and family, Dunkerton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barradell and family.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid held a social evening on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster.

## IS OVERSEAS

Pte. Ivan Anderson, R.C.A.S.C., is overseas and not in Montreal as stated last week. His wife, the former Patricia Dore, is employed with the Aurora Ordnance depot.

## Painting Exhibition Gives Fund \$100 Boost

Aurora high school Junior Red Cross boosted its funds by approximately \$100 from the exhibition of paintings by Newmarket's well-known artist, R. L. Chadwick. Around 15 of the 45 landscapes exhibited were purchased by Aurora families.

## HE'S FOUR YEARS OLD



An attractive Aurora youngster, is four-year-old Billy Calhoun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Calhoun, Aurora Orchards.

Photo by Barrager.

## AURORA SOLDIER WEDS OVERSEAS

Miss Kaye Donney, Brighton, Sussex, England, and Gordon Long, Aurora soldier overseas, were married at St. Andrew's church, Brighton, on July 31.

The bride wore a white satin dress with a full tulle veil and a headdress of orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of dark red carnations. She was given in marriage by her father.

Her sister, Miss Eileen Donney, and a friend, Miss Mary Potten, were bridesmaids. Miss Donney wore an ankle-length blue satin dress and Miss Potten wore a pale pink satin dress. They carried deep pink carnations.

Alfred Cooper was the best man.

## TAKES CHAPEL SERVICE

Rev. Dr. George Little, Toronto, former moderator of the United church, took the chapel service at St. Andrew's College on Sunday.

## PROMOTES TEMPERANCE

Rev. Gerald Despard, Toronto, former rector of Trinity Anglican church, was among the representatives of the Canadian Temperance Federation which waited on Prime Minister Mackenzie King last week to seek further temperance restrictions.

## CONDUCTS CHOIR

Miss Constance Willis, Hamilton, formerly of the staff of Aurora public school, is directing the choir of McIlwraith public school in Hamilton. The choir recently took part in Education week services in the "Ambitious city."

## ATTEND RECITAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garratt and Mr. and Mrs. Barnston Tudball, St. Andrew's College, were patrons of the organ recital given in Toronto by David Ouchterloney last week in aid of the Canadian Red Cross Blood Donors' fund.

## RECEIVES PROMOTION

Ex-Mayor C. R. Boulding has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel and has been transferred from Ottawa to Lethbridge, Alta., with the R.C.A.M.C. Lieut.-Col. Boulding, who served as a lieutenant with the infantry in the Great War, enlisted in 1940 and was the first M.O. at Newmarket basic training centre.

He was moved to Stanley barracks, Toronto, and earlier this year was promoted to the rank of major and stationed at Camp Borden. He is the new C.O. of the military hospital at Lethbridge.

Alma Baker Oldham, Mount Albert, and Frank James, Aurora, were guest soloists at the anniversary service held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

## SERVES WITH ARMY



Pte. Albert Whiting is on active service in Halifax, N.S. His wife resides on Wellington St. E. A sister, Mrs. John O'ford, also resides in Aurora.

Photo by Barrager.

## Social and Personal

Frank Dawson, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. H. H. Dawson.

L.-Cpl. and Mrs. Ben Case, Angus, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Case.

Herbert Watson, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. Watson, George St.

LAC and Mrs. Murray McLeod, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McLeod.

Mr. A. E. Cummer, Toronto, a former Aurora resident, spent Friday in town calling on friends.

Miss Mary Elliott, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. James Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hicks, Coruna, Ont., are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Barrager attended a dance in Toronto on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walton, Miss Mary Walton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Avis and son, Morley, were among Aurorans attending the launching of a new corvette for the Canadian navy at Toronto last week.

Mrs. T. A. Bond, Toronto, has been the guest of Mrs. C. E. Sparks.

Mrs. W. F. McKeown, niece of Mrs. W. Belfry, who had been visiting here from California, has arrived safely in Salt Lake City on her way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hamer and son, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hamer.

Miss Ethel Buckindale, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. T. Buckindale.

Miss Vera Clarke, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Clarke.

Miss Helen Boynton, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boynton.

## TALKS ON SOLDIER MAIL

Mrs. Weeks, wife of Brigadier Weeks, Ottawa, will give a lecture, illustrated with slides, on "overseas mail to our men and women on active service, what it should and should not consist of," on Monday at 3.30 p.m. at the Aurora high school auditorium. Mrs. Weeks is sent by the postal department, Ottawa.

The Aurora committee of the wartime prices and trade board has asked that everyone possible should come and hear what Mrs. Weeks has to say.

## Pottageville

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. West and son of Hamilton called on Mr. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Paton and Mrs. Oliver Paton, Northview, called on Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hill on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Rose spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Beverly Lumling.

Miss Hattie Cutting, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth West, Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Robert White, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose and daughter spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Rose's brother, Mr. Walter Archibald, and Mrs. Archibald.

Mr. Ed. O'Brien spent the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. Norman Elmer and son called on Mrs. Elmer's sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Summerville, on Saturday evening.

## Thanks For Splendid Job, Yanks Tell Aurora Boy

The American "Flying Fortress" was plainly in trouble as it struggled back to base, out of formation and with half its tail shot away after a recent daylight raid on Le Bourget. But circling about like anxious chicks around a stricken hen, were two Canadian Spitfires which saw it safely home.

They were part of an escort of all-Canadian fighter squadrons, commanded by Wing Commander L. V. Chadburn, D.S.O., D.F.C., of Aurora, who that day himself shot down an ME109 from the force of more than 30 German fighters which had attacked the same formation.

"We play a lot with the Americans," grinned Wing Commander Chadburn, as he shoved an official message blank across the desk.

"American bomber crews enthusiastically grateful for splendid cover provided today by your Spitfire pilots," the message read, and it was signed by Brigadier-General F. L. Anderson, commanding general of the bomber command, U.S. 8th army air force.

The lanky youngster with smiling blue eyes, who received that message and led the escorting Canadians, is one of the youngest wing commanders in the R.C.A.F.

He had tried to join the service—any service—right after he graduated in commerce from Northern Vocational school, Toronto, in 1938.

"The Canadian air force wouldn't take me, and neither would the navy or the R.A.F.," he recalls, with a chuckle. "So I went to work. I was in the Bank of Toronto, and a tea company, in Toronto for some time, and was with General Motors in Oshawa when I was finally accepted as an air gunner by the R.C.A.F. in April, 1940."

He soon remustered to "pilot," and since his arrival in England has been credited with eight enemy aircraft destroyed. He has also destroyed one "E" boat, and, getting ambitious, attacked a destroyer with damaging results off the Dutch coast. In August, 1943, he was awarded the D.S.O.

## Town May Pay Its New Hydro Power Commission

December is the last month the Aurora town council will have control of the electrical department.

In accordance with the requirements of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission when the present contract was entered into late last year, a Hydro-Electric commission will be elected by Aurora voters the first Monday in January, unless the two-man commission is acclaimed.

One commissioner will sit for a two-year term, the other for one year, thus ensuring a continuity of experienced management on the commission.

The mayor, representing the town council, will be the third member of the commission. A by-law providing for the setting up of the commission will be introduced at Monday's council meeting. Whether or not the commissioners will be paid will also be decided.

Under the chairmanship of Councillor Ross Linton and, previous to that, ex-mayor George Baldwin, the department has improved the service and shown a nice surplus each year.

## Church Has Had Only Ten Ministers In 73 Years

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church held its 73rd anniversary services on Sunday. The pastor, Rev. S. W. Hirtle, preached in the morning and Rev. Alexander MacLean, Willowdale, was guest preacher at the evening service.

The choir, under the direction of Miss Marjorie Andrews, gave a splendid program. Frank James was soloist and the Bethesda trio assisted.

Only ten ministers have occupied the Aurora pulpit in its

long history. Rev. Walter Amos, the second minister of the church, occupied the pulpit for 36 years.

Other ministers have been Rev. George Bruce, Rev. H. H. Allen, Rev. J. A. Tuer, Rev. James Conn, Rev. Dr. G. S. Eldridge, Rev. George Dix, Rev. Dr. Stanley Glen and Rev. K. J. McCreary.

In 1941 the Aurora church joined the present circuit with the Richmond Hill Presbyterian church.

## RE-ELECT LORNE LEE BOARD OF TRADE HEAD

The Aurora board of trade elected officers at a dinner in Trinity hall on Tuesday evening. Lorne C. Lee, Dr. E. J. Henderson and G. E. Moody were re-elected president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Lieut. F. J. White of Newmarket camp was the guest speaker and gave an outline of his two and a half years' experiences overseas. He went overseas in 1939 and saw service in France.

The Parochial guild catered for the evening.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

A. H. Cuttle, Toronto, well-known synod member, took the morning service at Trinity Anglican church on Sunday at a special mission service.

Rev. Cameron J. Orr, noted for his religious work among Canada's sailors, was the guest speaker at Sunday's service at Aurora Gospel church.

Last week's meeting of the Parents' class of Aurora United church was well attended. Miss Dorothy Fox, returned missionary, was guest speaker. Mrs. Donald Burch was in charge of the games.

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. R. McKenzie, Mark Ave.

The W. A. of Trinity Anglican church held a corporate communion service in the church on Tuesday afternoon.

The Home League of the Aurora Salvation Army held a successful tea and sale of work on Saturday.

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## EXCHANGE GIFTS

The Aurora Ladies' Co-operative Guild met last evening at the home of Mrs. Harvey Glass, Wellington St. The members brought 25-cent Christmas presents to exchange among the group, in keeping with wartime economy.

## Mrs. Robt. White Left Ireland 73 Years Ago

Ill for five years, Mrs. Robert White died at her home near Schomberg last Thursday morning, in her 95th year.

Sarah Currie was born in Colrairie, Ireland, March 17, 1849. She married Robert White on March 2, 1870, and left for Canada on March 17. Her husband predeceased her in March, 1921.

Surviving are three daughters and two sons, Ellen, at home, John Henry of the 8th line, Mrs. Silas Groombridge, of the 9th line, Ed. of the 8th line, and Mrs. Frank Wilson, also at home; 17 grandchildren and 33 great-grandchildren. Two of her grandchildren are serving overseas.

Roy Boak and Rev. F. V. Abbott conducted the funeral service at St. Paul's church, 9th line, on Saturday. Interment was at the 9th line church cemetery.

The pallbearers were William Shaw, Lorne Ellison, Jack Gould, Herb. Riddell, James Hamilton and Harris Hillard.

GLEE CLUB PRACTISES

Aurora high school glee club is practising faithfully under the direction of Iltid Harris for the high school commencement this month. Douglas Fisher is president of the youthful chorists.



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### Vandorf

Mrs. J. A. Ledson, Toronto, visited Mrs. Hiram Switzer last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. J. Carr and Miss Mabel Carr visited in Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kingdon and Bill Kingdon visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gardhouse of Thistletown on Sunday.

Mr. H. A. Switzer visited in Toronto a few days last week.

## DOWN THE CENTRE

Newmarket Redmen have stolen the jump on the other armored corps centres by arranging for afternoon practices at Maple Leaf Gardens. The first was held on Wednesday of last week. The Borden centres and Orillia have either to go to Owen Sound, where there is already ice, or await artificial ice at Midland or the natural variety outdoors at Barrie. It would appear that there would be much likelihood of natural ice until near Christmas. Midland arena will be ready for action by next week, and we understand that most of the Borden teams will make use of it.

Donnie Hamilton, former net-minder for Aurora juniors, has made his debut in the nets for Toronto army Shamrocks in the senior T.H.L. commercial series at Varsity and is said to be better than he was during junior days. Hamilton had exceptionally fine style and knew all the angles as a junior but was a bit unfortunate on a good many shots. He must be doing a fine job this season, for the army has plenty of capable custodians ready for duty.

Eddie Malcheske, who played on defence for Aurora army last year, is another Shamrocks player. Malcheske played in the S.P.A. series for Waterloo Siskins four years ago, at which time he was over-age for junior but the O.H.A. did nothing about it, which kept Aurora from a rightful place in the S.P.A. finals.

Jack Culverwell, the evergreen Sutton boy, has again gone to the hockey wars, this time for a Toronto tailoring firm in the commercial series. Culverwell has been performing well over ten years now. Sutton Greenshirts, Aurora army, as well as overseas and commercial hockey have all benefited by his skill. What he now lacks in speed he makes up in headiness. Culverwell has always been a clean living fellow, and his whole hockey history is marked by hard play and gentlemanly conduct.

Doug Carr, who played in the Aurora town league last winter for King City and previous to that with St. Catharines senior B team, is playing for C.T.L. this winter. During the summer he caught softball for the championship Richmond Hill team and was a valuable cog in the Ryan machine as understudy to Charlie Case.

Joe Szabo, who centred Brampton army most of last season and was one of the top scorers in the intermediate group, is a team-mate of Carr. We do not know if he has been discharged or is still stationed at Brampton camp.

"Busher" Gibbon, ex-Newmarket Redman junior pukechaser and relief catcher for Charlie Holmes' softballers, is scheduled to play for Tigers, a T.H.L. senior entry. Gibbon is employed on a defence job with a Toronto war plant.

Ran into George Stark, dark-haired Willoughdale boy, who for two years played a battling game on the right boards for Aurora juniors. George is a member of the army medical corps and stationed at Camp Borden, where he expects to play hockey with his unit in intermediate A. He has added quite a bit of weight and should have a good year if his training schedule allows him to remain in Canada this winter. Incidentally, the medical corps goes through some of the stiffest army training imaginable and is no bed of roses no matter what some may think. Practically all of the Aurora juniors of two years ago are now serving king and country. We have mentioned Don Hamilton above, and the rest of the boys are scattered as follows. Navy has Harold Capra and Ken Nash. Pilot Officer Myles MacInnis, Ross Tunbridge, Bruce Stephens and Lloyd Houghton are with the R.C.A.F. With the army are Eric Bilbrough, Sgt. Mervyn Broughton and Del Beaumont. Joe Turnbull is still too young for service.

John Bracken, leader of the Progressive-Conservative party, and former premier of Manitoba, on Saturday displayed human traits too seldom seen in our public men. Mr. Bracken, although engaged in political business of urgency in western Canada, dropped his business over the weekend in time to arrive in Toronto to see the East vs. West Canadian football championship epic, and incidentally to cheer for the Winnipeg R.C.A.F. John Bracken has a deep love of competitive sports and for years has followed the fortunes of western teams as they sought the Grey cup. A former rugby player himself, he has never been too busy or high-hat to join the hot polloi in the trek to the stadium, and root himself hoarse. We like to think of our leaders as possessing the human touch, and we know of no place like the bleacher seats, the sidelines or the inside of any sporting arena where the colonel and Patrick O'Grady are brothers under the skin (to paraphrase the old slogan).

Blood donations, we note, are meeting with huge success across Canada, but there are still doubtless many who have not as yet made a donation, either because of indifference or ignorance. The former with our troops giving their all in Italy, and more serious battles to come cannot be lightly regarded, those who act thus are not sportsmen to say the least. Those who have not given a donation because of fear or ignorance should know the story of "Spike" Howard. Howard is a well-known American wrestler and strong man, who for years has worked out of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. He is now 66 years of age and has had hundreds of bouts as well as performing feats of strength on the stage and in sideshows.

This month he gave his one-thousandth transfusion, and over 250 prominent Philadelphia sportsmen were present to see him do so. Spike says he "never sold a drop, and never lost a case." He once gave more than five pints in three days and during an epidemic he submitted to transfusions every day for six weeks. According to his athletic records and his physicians, he is nearly as good a man as he ever was. We do not suggest everyone can do as much in blood giving. The boys in the armed services have a fine record for blood donations, besides being on active service. Those on the home front who have not yet made a deposit in Canada's blood-bank should not hesitate to do so. Italian soldiers have finally won a victory. It was not on the battlefield, however. At Fort Benning, Ga., there is a group of Italian prisoners interned and they have formed a soccer team good enough to trounce their warders 4-1.

Jolney Gagnon, the famous "Black Cat" of Canadian professional hockey, once line-mate of the late Howie Morenz and Aurel ("Mighty Atom") Jollet, emulating the feat of Frankie Boucher, returned to the ice this season with the Providence Reds. Gagnon had 15 years service in the N.H.L. and retired from action in 1911 to coach the Reds, but the present manpower shortage brought him back to action. He scored a goal too, and an assist in his first start.

Bennie Harris, now with the army in Nova Scotia, who was one of the main cogs in the victory of Sutton Greenshirts two years ago, and before that a standout performer with Toronto Marlboros and Toronto commercial teams, will play his hockey this winter with Truro Bearcats in the Nova Scotia senior league.

Down in the Maritimes too and ready for further rugby action and hockey this winter is an old Aurora favorite, "Popper" Martin. Harold, one of the greatest all-round athletes ever produced by St. Andrew's College, is a sub-lieutenant with the navy at Deep Rock and quarterback for the Halifax navy team.

The Hailgonians are the first Canadian football team of any importance ever to play in the

bluenose sector and coached by Ottawa's "Tiny" Herman with such big stars as Mike Hedgewick, "Scotty" Wright and other Ontario players, have already decisively downed Montreal and Toronto entries, and if given a chance may well take the Grey cup. Martin is the only St. Andrew's student ever given permission to play with Aurora juniors and he was one of the finest junior B defencemen we have ever seen. His defence mate, Jack Curtis, is overseas with the army and said to be in Italy now.

Joe Iannarelli, who in a brief tail-end season appearance last winter with Brampton camp, just about annexed the group-scoring title and was one of the main reasons for the defeat of No. 23 B.T.C. in the group semi-finals, will again be with Brampton camp this season and meanwhile is getting into condition as a member of the Bowser A.C. commercial entry. Iannarelli, who hails from South Porcupine, is pure dynamite around the nets.

"Red" Creighton, member of a well-known Peterborough sporting family, prominent in both lacrosse and hockey, will also be seen in action with Brampton camp and, like Iannarelli, is getting in pre-season training licks in mercantile hockey. Creighton plays equally well on defence or forward and was a member of Brampton Bullets lacrosse team.

"Bunny" Glover, former Montreal Royal and last year with Aurora army and a member of this year's Aurora Ordnance softball team, is located at Peterborough camp now.

It is too bad to see any argument about the subject, when it is to be a national shrine and commemorate the game which has brought international fame to Canada.

Baseball chose authentically enough Cooperstown, N.Y., the birthplace of the game's founder, Abner Doubleday, as its shrine, despite its location, but it is near the big baseball centres and easily reached by tourists. According to the research work of Frank F. Menke of New York, Halifax on purely historical basis has perhaps the best claim, as hockey was first played there by Scottish regiments long before Confederation. There is not much doubt, however, that both Montreal and Kingston played in the 80's the game that really developed into the present game of hockey and have fostered the game much more than Halifax.

As a matter of fact in recent years the Maritimes would not have been able to field senior teams without importing players from Ontario and the west. It seems a bit strange to us that Halifax has to depend on the historical researches of a so-called American authority to substantiate its claim. The choice having been made, it would be better for all concerned to put their shoulders to the wheel and erect a suitable edifice and bury the hatchet.

Herbie Cain, by last Friday, had accumulated 15 scoring points, including ten goals in the N.H.L. scoring race, with the season not a third gone, and after years of faithful service appeared likely to see (Page 7, Col. 6)

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### ANNUAL STATEMENT

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#### RESOURCES

Cash in its Vaults and Money on Deposit with Bank of Canada	\$122,277,005.70
Notes of and Cheques on Other Banks	50,369,612.03
Payable in cash on presentation	
Money on Deposit with Other Banks	41,078,651.11
Available on demand or at short notice	
Government and Other Bonds and Debentures	799,462,639.56
Not exceeding market value. The greater portion consists of Dominion Government and high-grade Provincial and Municipal securities which mature at early dates	
Stocks	385,280.79
Industrial and other stocks. Not exceeding market value	
Call Loans	22,036,981.99
In Canada	\$ 3,350,701.53
Elsewhere	18,686,280.46
Payable on demand and secured by bonds, stocks and other negotiable collateral of greater value than the loans	
TOTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES (equal to 83.81% of all Liabilities to the Public)	\$1,035,610,171.18
Loans to Provincial and Municipal Governments including School Districts	17,544,577.50
Commercial and Other Loans	226,399,651.32
In Canada	\$215,445,397.05
Elsewhere	10,954,254.27
To manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, on condition consistent with sound banking	
Bank Premises	13,400,000.00
Two properties only are carried in the names of holding companies; the stock and bonds of these companies are entirely owned by the Bank and appear on its books at \$1.00 in each case. All other of the Bank's premises, the value of which largely exceeds \$13,400,000.00 are included under this heading	
Real Estate and Mortgages on Real Estate Sold by the Bank	553,727.65
Acquired in the course of the Bank's business and in process of being realized upon	
Customers' Liability under Acceptances and Letters of Credit	17,068,844.05
Represents liabilities of customers on account of Letters of Credit issued and Drafts accepted by the Bank for their account	
Other Assets not included in the foregoing (but including refundable portion of Dominion Government taxes \$195,472.75)	2,487,682.99
Making Total Resources of	\$1,313,064,654.69

#### LIABILITIES

Due to the Public	
Deposits	\$1,205,874,791.46
In Canada	\$1,046,857,927.64
Elsewhere	159,016,863.82
Payable on demand or after notice	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	9,790,610.00
Payable on demand	
Acceptances and Letters of Credit Outstanding	17,068,844.05
Financial responsibilities undertaken on behalf of customers (see off-setting amount in "Resources")	
Other Liabilities	2,897,045.82
Items not included under the foregoing headings	
Total Liabilities to the Public	\$1,235,631,321.33
To meet which the Bank has resources as indicated above amounting to	\$1,313,064,654.69
Leaving an excess of Resources over Liabilities, which represents the Shareholders' interest over which Liabilities to the Public take precedence	
Capital	\$36,000,000.00
Reserve Fund, Profit & Loss Account and Reserves for Dividends	41,433,333.36
	\$ 77,433,333.36

#### PROFIT and LOSS ACCOUNT

Profits for the year ended 30th October, 1943, after making appropriations to Contingent Reserve Fund, out of which full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts has been made, and after deducting Dominion Government Taxes amounting to \$2,913,194.04 (of which \$165,583.92 is refundable under the provisions of The Excess Profits Tax Act)	\$3,302,834.19
Dividends paid or payable to Shareholders	\$2,160,000.00
Written off Bank Premises	2,660,000.00
	\$ 4,820,834.19
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1942	\$1,236,686.94
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$1,879,521.13

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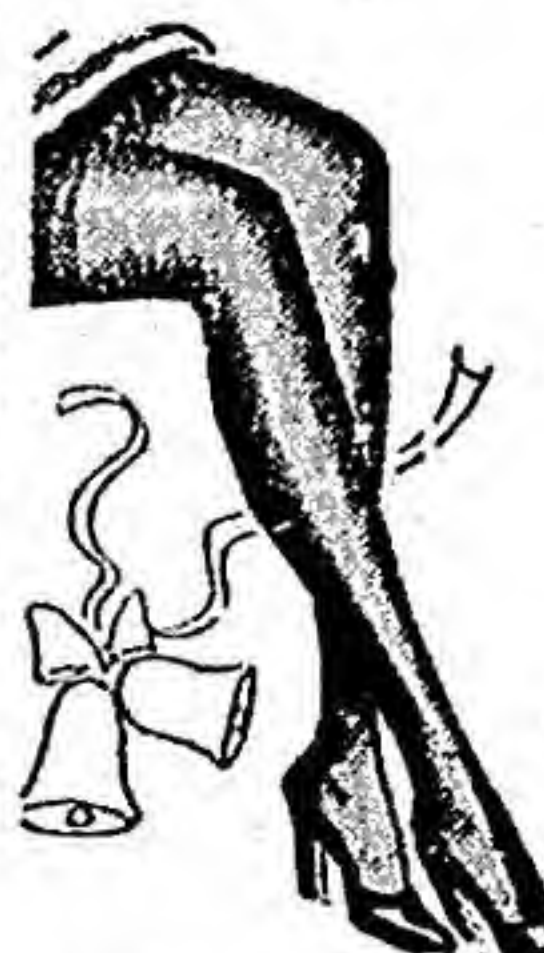
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50 cts. a box. Economy Jar, five times as  
much \$2.00

**Dr. Chase's  
Ointment**



## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended  
this week to:

Myrna Brice, Newmarket, five  
years old on Sunday, Nov. 28.  
Betty Anne Shropshire, New-  
market, seven years old on Sun-  
day, Nov. 28.  
Douglas Rush, Newmarket,  
five years old on Monday, Nov.  
29.  
Bill Bell, Holland Landing, 14  
years old on Monday, Nov. 29.  
Peggy McDonald, Newmarket,  
nine years old on Monday, Nov.  
29.

Mary Miller, Newmarket, 14  
years old on Monday, Nov. 29.  
Muriel Bell, Holland Landing,  
12 years old on Thursday, Dec.  
2.

Dorothy Miller, Newmarket,  
12 years old on Friday, Nov. 3.  
Shirley Ann McGresley, New-  
market, four years old on Fri-  
day, Dec. 3.

Vernon Ellis, Holland Land-  
ing, 13 years old on Saturday,  
Dec. 4.  
Send in your name, age and  
birthday and become a member  
of The Era and Express Birth-  
day club.

## IS IMPROVING

J. O. Little, who has been con-  
fined to his home the past two  
weeks, is improving.

"TIRED"  
ALL THE TIME

She felt miserable—  
draggish—low in vitality—  
lacking in spirits. She  
hadn't thought of her  
kidneys, until a friend  
suggested Dodd's Kid-  
ney Pills. At once she  
took Dodd's. The  
"washed out" feeling  
was soon replaced by  
clear headed energy and restful sleep.  
Headache, backache, lassitude and other  
signs of faulty kidneys disappeared. 112



**Dodd's Kidney Pills**

To the Electors of  
NORTH GWILLIMBURY

Believing that individual  
canvassing should be discon-  
tinued for the duration, and  
being a candidate for council-  
lor, your support is solicited  
and would be greatly appreci-  
ated.

**Wm. A. King**

To the Ratepayers of  
NORTH GWILLIMBURY

I again appeal for your  
vote at election Monday, Dec.  
6.

I trust my past record, and  
the experience gained during  
my years in your service, will  
qualify me for your support.

Respectfully yours,

**JAS. H. NELSON**

Sutton West.

RUBBERS AND  
GOLOSHES  
for BOYS and MEN

"Service with a smile"

**Morrison's**  
MEN'S WEAR  
LARGEST EXCLUSIVE MEN'S STORE  
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NEWMARKET, ONTARIO



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## GIFTS FOR LADIES...

Elizabeth Arden

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Jasmine of Southern France

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## GIFTS FOR MEN...

Bill Folds

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Shaving Sets

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Phone 14 Newmarket

Christmas  
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NEWMARKET VETERANS

Annual

Dance, Euchre and Draw

Town Hall

ROSE'S ORCHESTRA

THURSDAY, DEC. 16

TEN GEES

**ROYAL  
THEATRE  
AURORA**

FRIDAY - SATURDAY - DEC. 3 - 4

LAUREL AND HARDY

"AIR RAID WARDENS"

ALSO

JAS. CRAIG - PATRICIA DAY

"NORTH WEST RANGER"

MONDAY - TUESDAY - DEC. 6 - 7

JOAN FONTAINE - ALEXIS SMITH

CHARLES ROYER

"THE CONSTANT NYMPH"

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY - DEC. 8 - 9

LENA HORNE - BILL ROBINSON

CAB CALLOWAY AND BAND

"STORMY WEATHER"

in there with the score of 579.

The "Old Reliable" Don  
Hynes rolled consistently, per-  
haps even brilliantly. "Don" has  
a nice style and has turned in  
some nice games and is a  
"threat" to one and all.

"Doc" Bell and "Tom" Gilles-  
pie started off nicely, but re-  
laxed toward the finish. "Steve"  
Johnstone improved as he went  
along, as did "Ming" Mingo.  
This "Gang" will be heard from,  
as they are decidedly, of the  
battling type.

The "Gunmen" were hamper-  
ed by not having their full team  
out, but the "incomparable" Bar-  
ney Cooper went "all but" and  
rolled a nice 616. Tom (1830  
sharp) George was in there up-  
holding the prestige of the Gun-  
men by rolling 578.

The "Moaners" were out in  
force and Morris and Co. looked  
like they might be the team to  
beat. Lieut. Hannacher had  
some bad breaks but was in  
there battling. "Lou" Grossman  
"extracted" a nice 606 to take  
the "plate" for the team. "Bill"  
Swayze (you know what I  
mean) started off in a nice man-  
ner and laid in a 179 and so on  
to finally help the good cause  
with 528.

"Food" Oster has a care-free  
style that is becoming and is to  
be reckoned with 559. "Old man  
Mose" Morris as captain was  
not to be outdone and finalled a  
useful 584. Campbell is a nice  
fellow to have around and would  
look good on any team. His 541  
just turned the trick to give the  
Moaners three points.

The standing: Kennedy's  
Kolts, 13; Morris's Moaners, 13;  
Richardson's Ramrods, 13;  
Wood's Orfuns, 12; Gillespie's  
Gang, 10; George's Gunmen, 7.

## DOWN THE CENTRE

(Continued from Page 6)

his ambition of being one of the  
top scorers and a 20-goal man  
reached. Herb, started out team-  
ed with Bill Cowley and Art Jackson,  
to form one of the most potent  
scoring trios in recent years. The  
return to action of "Buzz" Bell saw  
Manager Art Ross shift Herb to  
the kid line of teen-agers, "Bep"  
Guidolin and Don Gallinger. Both  
youngsters will benefit by Cain's  
experience and Herb, should not  
suffer greatly in the scoring race  
by the change either. The two  
youngsters can really fly, and be-  
sides this the Cowley line was a ver-  
itable target for the best checkers  
of the opposing teams. We know  
North Yorkers will read with in-  
terest the feats of Cain this season  
and keep their fingers crossed in  
the hope that no injury may mar  
the Newmarket boy's splendid start.

Ernie Hughes, goalkeeper for  
Newmarket camp last winter, later  
transferred to Brampton camp, has  
travelled further afield and is now  
stationed in British Columbia,  
where he may get some hockey.

Bobby Burrell, sensational young  
St. Catharines junior netminder, is  
 slated to guard the nets for Bram-  
pton this winter. Burrell played  
goal for St. Kitt's the year "Joht"  
McComb played junior B there and  
was plenty good. He has had no  
chance to break into higher com-  
pany since junior days because of  
the host of goal candidates available  
in his home city.

Bobby Porter, former Toronto  
baseball player, Balmly Beach foot-  
baller and ex-coach of St. Andrew's  
College rugby team, has joined the  
R.C.A.F. Porter is a pretty fair  
hockey player too and may  
strengthen Joe Primeau's R.C.A.F.  
defence. He is the third St. And-  
rew's former coach to join the ser-  
vices.

Treasurer Alex. McIntosh has  
received the following gifts for  
the Newmarket Veterans' Sol-  
diers' Comforts fund: Harold  
Lee, \$1; Sidney Legge, \$1; Mrs.  
Geo. Luesby, \$5; Herman E. Gil-  
roy, \$5; N. A. Cornell, Lindsay,  
\$3.

## Willow Beach

Mrs. V. Chapman is visiting  
her sister, Mrs. Wm. Thompson.  
Owing to so much illness in  
the community, the Boys' Com-  
forts club did not hold their  
weekly meeting.

Miss Eileen Hill, Sutton, visit-  
ed Phyllis Sedore last Thursday.  
The Willow Beach unit had a  
quitting at Mrs. Wm. Thompson's  
last Thursday. A box was pack-  
ed for Russian relief on Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John McMahon  
were at their cottage on Sunday.

**GIFTS** for  
**MEN**  
AND  
**BOYS**

SHOP WITH CONFIDENCE AT...

## CLIFF INSLEY'S

Thrifty people this year will shop early when merchandise is at its best  
assortment. Please do not leave your shopping too late or you will be  
disappointed.

THE GREATEST ASSORTMENT OF GIFTS...

FOR MEN AND BOYS

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STOP!  
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YOU WILL FIND A  
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The smarter dressed young  
men this season are wearing  
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Single breasted English  
and Domestic fancy  
wool tweeds. Balmacaan  
collar. Fly front, slash  
pockets.

You will find these coats to  
suit every figure and pocket.

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**\$13.95**

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MEN'S SUPERFINE QUALITY

## PONY HORSEHIDE

## WINDBREAKERS

PIGTEX AND SUEDE  
LEATHERS

nicely lined, plain shades

Tans, Greens and Browns  
also two-tone shades

Boys' \$11.95

Men's \$9.95 to \$15

Buy him a Tie and Handkerchief Set

We carry a grand assortment of

## BOXED TIES FOR CHRISTMAS

In hand-painted, Paisley and fancy designs.  
\$1, and small boys' 50c.

Harvey Hall's, wools, Paisleys, hand-  
printed and Taresae's

We think our assortment can't be beat.

BOXED AT 50c - 65c - 75c - \$1.00 - \$1.50

## Khaki Army Shirts

In extra good quality  
Size 14-16

\$2.00 - \$2.75

also socks and ties  
khaki and black

50c AND \$1.00

PLEASE HIM OR HER  
BY BUYING

one of these cozy and warm

## PARKA COATS

warmly lined, shower and  
windproof

\$10.95 TO \$13.95

WARM ALL-WOOL HUMPHREY'S...

## BOYS' TWEED BREEKS

Warmly lined. Double cloth knees. Also boys' whipcord, blue  
muckinaw and Humphrey's tweed breeches, flannellette lined,  
6-16 years. Sizes 24 to 34.

Note—we carry a complete line of men's and boys' goloshes and rubbers,  
shoes, ski mitts, dressing gowns, smoking jackets, wool and silk  
scarves, plain and fancy, also we specialize in men's fancy doekin  
shirts for work and sportswear, also men's handkerchiefs.

Junior boys' all-wool tweed suits, knee and breech. Ages 8 to 10 years,  
\$10.98, \$11.08

Boys' intermediate suits, 2 long pants, \$15.95  
Students' suits, 2 long pants, \$18.95

MEN'S AND BOYS' FLANNELLETTE PYJAMAS AND MEN'S NIGHT  
GOWNS

REMEMBER IT PAYS TO SHOP AT

**CLIFF INSLEY'S**

NEWMARKET

MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR

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### MOUNT ALBERT DANCE AND EUCHE HELPS NAVY LEAGUE

Mrs. Guy Williamson and Mrs. Reg. Willbee went to Windsor to spend the weekend with their husbands, who are stationed there at the present.

The remains of little Jimmie Breen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Breen, were brought on Thursday to Mount Albert from Kirkland Lake, where he was drowned last summer. As the family have moved to Toronto, they preferred a plot in Mount Albert cemetery.

The euche and dance held in the hall on Friday evening for the Navy League was a grand success. Mrs. B. Stiver won the ladies' prize and Mr. Longhurst won the gentlemen's prize. The hall-board had \$50 to send to the Navy League.

The December meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Dec. 9 at the home of Mrs. K. Ross. The hostesses are Mrs. W. H. Burgess and Mrs. R. Harmon. The

report of the convention will be given. A paper, "Giving Santa Back To Children," and Christmas carols will be included in the program.

The morning service at the United church on Sunday will be a W.M.S. service. Bill Burgess will tell of his mission fields and work in the western provinces, where he has spent the last two years.

Cpl. and Mrs. Stoultz, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Leadbetter.

Misses Mina and Helen Oliver and Marion Stokes, Toronto, were at their homes over the weekend.

A group of the W.A. of the United church will hold an alphabet social in the basement of the church on Dec. 14. Refreshments will be served and a nice evening is promised. Those planning to attend are asked to count the letters in their name before coming so they will be admitted.

Mrs. Job Oldham is seriously ill at the home of her son, Mr. Norman Oldham.

Mrs. Geo. Walsh spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Grose, Thornhill.

## STRAND THEATRE-NEWMARKET

BOX OFFICE OPENS DAILY 615, CONTINUOUS SATURDAY 2 P.M.

LAST TIMES TODAY  
"BOMBARDIER" - PAT O'BRIEN - ANN SHIRLEY - RAND. SCOTT  
"KID GLOVE KILLER" - VAN HEFLIN - MARSHA HUNT

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

**Rita HAYWORTH**  
**"Louisiana GAL"**  
WITH TOM KEENE

AND ON THE SAME PROGRAM

**BORN to SING**

Directed by Edmund Ludwig  
Produced by Franklyn Spaulding

Virginia WEIDLER  
Ray MC DONALD  
Lee COONEY  
"BOB" RAGLAND  
Douglas McPHAIL

MONDAY AND TUESDAY  
3 Days-Mon., Tues., Wed.

### SING OUT THE NEWS! HERE'S M-G-M'S HAPPY HIT!

PRESENTING **JUDY GARLAND**

The darling of "For Me and My Gal"  
- at her singing, romancing best!

**VAN HEFLIN**  
And what a cast of entertainers! For you and your gal - it's a honey of a show!

AND **TOMMY DORSEY** AND HIS ORCHESTRA  
AND **BOB CRUSBY** AND HIS ORCHESTRA

PLUS **LOLA LANE** IN "MISS V FROM MOSCOW"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

**NOVELTY THEATRE**  
Don't miss it!

PRODUCED BY HAL B. WALLIS  
THE PLAYERS INCLUDE JOHN GARFIELD AND YOLANDA - HARRY CAREY - GED TOMAS - ARTHUR A. RENNEY - JAC. BROWN - JOHN BISHOP - SCREENPLAY BY DOUGLAS NICHOLS

ADDED COMEDY HIT  
WILLIAM BENDIS - GRACE BRADLEY IN

AND **THE McGUERINS** FROM **BROOKLYN**  
WITH ARIJNE JUDGE - MAX BAER - JOE SAWYER

### KESWICK LOVED KESWICK LADY, MRS. MARY PURDY DIES

Mrs. Mary Purdy died at her home Sunday night. She was 75 years old.

Mrs. Purdy was a member of the Christian church for many years, and has, in recent years, been a member of the United church. She took an active part in church activities until her last illness.

Mrs. Purdy was also an active member of the Women's Christian Temperance Union for many years. Widow of Silas Purdy, who died some years ago, Mrs. Purdy lived in Keswick most of her life. She was a jolly and popular person. More than a year ago, and spent the last three months in bed.

Five sons survive, William, at home, J. C., Hamilton, Clayton, Toronto, Horace, Long Branch, and Lawrence, Winnipeg.

Rev. Gordon Lapp conducted the funeral service on Wednesday. Interment was in Queensville cemetery.

Sub-Lieut. Thomas Johnston, Halifax, and Sgt. George Alridge, Valleyfield, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baines.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Pollock, noted for Russell, near Ottawa, for the weekend, taking with them Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pearson, who will spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Martt, Russell.

Mrs. George Bache, Newmarket, spending a few days with her sisters-in-law here, owing to the illness of Miss Ina Bache.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mahoney moved to their new home in the village on Monday.

The Red Cross will serve lunches at the polling booth on election day, Dec. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grant on Saturday evening for dinner. Miss Zanna Grant, Queensville, was also a guest.

Miss Ella Morton left last week for Sault Ste. Marie and is bringing her aunt, Mrs. Yeomans, back to make her home here.

The Sunday-school room of the United church was well filled to hear the recital given by the pupils of Mrs. Harold Pollard last Thursday.

Rev. Gordon Lapp was the chairman for the evening.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United church and the election of officers will be held on Dec. 9 at 3 p.m. Annual reports are to be made at this meeting.

The mission band will meet next Tuesday directly after school. An interesting program has been planned.

Henry underwent an operation early this week.

Mrs. Perry Morton is still ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rozell and Jack Rozell, Clinton, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Angus King.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Kellar, Bath, were calling on relatives in the district recently.

In an effort to stimulate new interest and to increase attendance the United church Sunday-school is being linked more closely to the morning service of worship. Scholars and teachers are asked to come at 11 for the regular service, which is to take the place of the school's opening session. At 12 o'clock the classes will take their places and at 12:30 come together again for the closing.

The new plan begins Sunday morning. Appealing for a sympathetic, open-minded and prayerful trial of what he described as an attempt to put new life into the Sunday-school. Rev. Gordon Lapp also urged a restoration of the family pew. Mr. Lapp will teach the Bible class, to which parents are invited, while their children are in the various classes.

Next Sunday evening, in the annual Christmas story service at the United church, Mr. Lapp will tell "The Forbidden Christmas Trees" for the children and Bess Streeter Aldrich's "Bible Tapers Twinkle Fair" for the adults.

IS 83 YEARS OLD  
Thomas Hayes, Keswick, celebrated his 83rd birthday on Friday.

**Sharon**  
Miss Grace Oliver, Mrs. Alfred Johnson and Mr. Roy Oliver spent the weekend with their sister, Mrs. Alan Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker, Toronto, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone, Owen Sound, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry.

Mrs. Merton Shaw, Hamilton, Miss Vera Chapman, Ajax, Miss Helen Shaw, Toronto, and Miss Beatrice Gibney, Holt, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw.

LAC David Weddel left for St. Catharines on Saturday.

The congregation of the United church are having a pot-luck supper at the hall on Friday. The ladies are holding their meeting before the supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan and son, Calvin, and Miss Hazel Sharpe, all of Glenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deavitt, Sharon, visited Pte. Merland Deavitt, Camp Borden, on Sunday.

**BETHEL**  
Rev. W. J. Davidson spoke to a full church Sunday evening on his work in India. Mrs. Ed. Cryderman sang a beautiful solo, "The Garden of Prayer."

Jas. Smallwood, R.C.A.F., has returned to Jarvis after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smallwood.

Chas. Smallwood, manning depot, Toronto, was home over

### ELMHURST BEACH KING AND QUEEN SEND ANNIVERSARY MESSAGE

Messrs. Wm. Pickering and John Heaton spent the weekend with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Myers and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McKewen, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Ferguson, Uxbridge, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard on Sunday.

Mr. Clifford Myers returned home on Sunday after spending a week with friends in Toronto.

The United church Sunday-school concert will be held in the school-room on Dec. 21.

Mr. N. Myers is in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker received a cable from their majesties, the king and queen, on the 51st anniversary of their marriage.

There will be a quilting in the Community hall on Tuesday. The ladies are asked for gifts of quilt blocks.

**Holt**  
Special evangelistic services are being held in Holt Free Methodist church from Dec. 1 to 19.

Evangelist Rev. Sara C. Gregory, M.A., Westport, Ont., will preach at each service.

Several are ill with "flu" in the community.

Misses Grace Mitchell and Grace King, Toronto, spent the weekend at their homes here.

Howard Cunningham of the R.C.A.F. was home over the weekend.

Miss Audrey Gibney, Toronto, spent the weekend at home.

David Green, Mount Albert, shot a wolf on the seventh about three miles north of Holt recently.

Miss Westcott was called home to Beaverton on Friday to attend the funeral of her grandfather.

Miss Elda Stickwood, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stickwood.

the weekend.

Bert Owens, who has been seriously ill, has recovered sufficiently to be able to take a short motor trip daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Chasley Cryderman were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Les. Slights, Roche's Point. Mr. Slights has been ill for some time.

Duke Horner is confined to his home with "flu."

**SORRY**  
One To Two Weeks Delivery  
ON RADIO REPAIRS

Due to increased demand and shortage of labor we cannot give immediate service at this time.

You can help by bringing your radio in whenever possible. If you bring the chassis bring the speaker too. In case of battery sets bring the batteries also.

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**STEWART BEARE**  
113 Main St. Phone 355

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BETTER SIDEWALKS  
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for members for the 1944 council only, for the Township of East Gwillimbury, three to be elected. Polls will be open from  
9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**CANDIDATES:** DEANS, SAMUEL, gardener  
PEARSON, GEORGE, farmer  
ROSS, KENNETH, merchant  
SHAW, ALAN, farmer

Miss Norma Cook, Toronto, and Sgt. H. F. Lee are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Sedore for a few days this week.

Miss Donna Fry, Sharon, was a weekend guest of Miss Louise Anderson.

AC2 Leslie Lockerbie was home for the weekend.

Mr. Clarence Sturdy and baby son, Lawrence, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. Sturdy.

Thos. Lowndes, who has been ill with the "flu," is improving.

**GET WOLF, SCARE THREE**  
About 160 men took part in the wolf hunt in East Gwillimbury township yesterday and up until noon had shot one wolf and scared three out.

**MAPLE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
11 a.m.—Bible school  
7:30 p.m.—Pastor Sid. Kerr preaching.  
Fri., 8 p.m.—Prayer and praise  
Mon., 8 p.m.—Young People's  
You Will Enjoy Our Services  
Come!

**DR. C. L. WALLER**  
V.S., B.V.Sc.  
VETERINARY SURGEON  
SUTTON WEST, ONT.  
PHONE 81  
(Herman Stiles)

**TO THE RATEPAYERS  
of the  
Town of Newmarket**  
YOUR SUPPORT  
AT THE POLLS ON  
**MONDAY, DEC. 6**  
IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED

Post-war employment for our returned boys deserves our closest attention in 1944.

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### LIBRARY ADDS 150 BOOKS TO SHELVES

One hundred and fifty books have been added to the juvenile department of Newmarket public library. There are too many to list here, but youngsters needing help in their homework may find it on the shelves from the history, natural science and handicraft volumes.

Books for the mechanically minded have also been included, while their teen-age brothers and sisters may find adventure, mysteries and romances.

The "tiny tots" have not been forgotten, and a number of stories for the early grades are expected in the near future.

Many new titles for adults have been ordered since early fall, but due to prevailing conditions, delivery is slow. They are coming in a few at a time and will be added when a sufficient number have arrived. In the meantime, if the reading public will be faithful in returning books within two weeks, the new books already there will circulate more quickly and everyone will be able to read them while still "news."

Here are a few of the recent additions: Hungry Hill, Daphne du Maurier; Wide is the Gate, Upton Sinclair; Refusal, Ethel Vance; For Those in Peril, Edith A. Holtan; The Mountains Wall, Theodore Broch; Our Hearts Were Young and Gay, Cornelia Otis Skinner.

Faith, Hope and Charity, Irvin Cobb; Gideon Planish, Sinclair Lewis; End of Reckoning, Alice Lent; The Sea is So Wide, Evelyn Eaton; A Circle in the Water, Helen Hull; Mr. Tibbs Passes By, Robert Newman; A Certain Dr. French, Elizabeth Selbert.

Katharine Christian, Hugh Walpole; The Song of Bernadette, Franz Werfel; Mrs. Parkington, Louis Bromfield; Crescent Carnival, Francis P. Keyes; Excuse Me, Mrs. Megs, Elizabeth Corbett; Journey for Josephine, Robert Nathan; Death in the Doll's House, Hannah Lees; The Saint Goes West, Leslie Charteris.

Crimson Friday, Dorothy C. Disney; The Man Next Door, Mignon Eberhart; There Was an Old Woman, Elery Queen; Eleven Came Back, Mabel Seeley; Accessory After the Fact, Lee Thayer.

Private Report, Katharine Roberts; Dynamite Cargo, Fred Herman; Ship's Doctor, Rufus Hooker; Plenty of Pennsylvania, Cornelius Weygand; Prisoner of the Japs, Gwen Dew; Dress Rehearsal, Quentin Reynolds; Only the Stars are Neutral, Quentin Reynolds.

Come and Get It, George Martin; Seven Came Back, Richenbacher; Between the Thunder and the Sun, Vincent Sheehan; On Being a Real Person, H. E. Fosdick; Journey Among Warriors, Eve Currier; Today and Tomorrow, Edgar Guest; Story of Dr. Wassel, James Hilton; Canada, Its Foundation and Its Future, Stephen Leacock.

The Apostle, Sholem Asch; Without Orders, Martha Albrand; The Ship, C. S. Forester; Kate Fennigate, Booth Tarkington; Boughs Bend Over, Marda French; 112 Elm St., Henrietta Reppeger; The Interpreter, Philip Gibbs.

**QUEENSVILLE**  
**Soldier Is Home After  
Four Years Overseas**

The library board has received a grant of \$35 and new books are being purchased. Mrs. Cull of Toronto will visit the library on Saturday and will bring the new books with her. The board is anxious that new names should be added to the membership.

The ladies of the community gathered at the home of Mrs. Russell Strasser on Nov. 24 to present a floor lamp to one of the village girls, Marjorie Stickwood, whose marriage to Charles Haines, Sharon, took place Nov. 17. The presentation was made by Mrs. L. Irwin. Mrs. Haines made a suitable reply. After the presentation a social time was enjoyed and a dainty lunch served.

Mrs. McKenzie is spending a few days in Toronto with her son, Ross. She celebrated a birthday on Dec. 2.

Pte. C. G. Holloway, who was wounded in the arm in the battle in Sicily, is home on 14 days leave and is staying with his father-in-law, Mr. Dalton Smith. Pte. Holloway will enter Christie St. hospital, Toronto, for treatment for his arm, which is partly paralyzed. He has been overseas for four years, and was the first boy to enlist from this community.

Bruce McMillan, who has been confined to bed for some time, is improving.

Nursing Sister Ida Burkholder, Queensville, is now stationed with the forces in Italy.

Mrs. Sedore received another letter from her son, Harold, who is in Italy, stating that all was well with him. The letter, dated Nov. 5, was received last week.

Mrs. Wm. Cunningham, one of the pioneers of this community, died last Thursday at the home of her son, Mr. Floyd Cunningham.

The funeral, which was private, was held on Saturday afternoon from her home.

The immediate friends and neighbors attended, and the service was conducted by Rev. Hugh Shannon, pastor of the Queensville United church, where she had been a life-long member.

She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, Floyd at home, and Robert, Toronto, and a daughter, Mrs. Ross Mahoney, Queensville.

Harry Noddle, who was well known to the early settlers as a pedlar of small wares, died at York County hospital last week and was buried on Friday at Queensville cemetery. Rev. Hugh Shannon conducted the

funeral. Mr. Noddle and his faithful dog were a familiar sight on North York highways.

Miss Ruby Strasser and Terry Doane were the guest soloists at Pine Orchard Union church on Sunday.

The annual meeting of the United church W.A. will be held on Dec. 7. The president urges all members to be present for the election of officers.

The Red Cross nursing class will re-open on Dec. 14 for the fall term. This year the class will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith for Queensville and Ravenshoe districts, under the leadership of Mrs. R.

J. Rogers, who is well qualified for the work. An appeal is made to all who are interested in this work to be present at this organization meeting.

Mrs. Pearce of Toronto spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Burkholder.

Miss Irwin, sister of Mr. L. Irwin, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin.

A number of people have been ill with the "flu."

The women's euche club are holding a euche on Dec. 19, at 8:30 p.m., in the schoolhouse in aid of comforts for the boys. A good lunch will be provided.

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